Michigan Department of Treasury 496 (02/06) Auditing Procedures Report

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COUNTY OF LUCE, MICHIGAN

BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

December 31, 2006

LUCE COUNTY, MICHIGAN

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INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

Members of the Board County of Luce, Michigan Newberry, Michigan 49868

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of the governmental activities, the business-type activities, the aggregate discretely presented component units, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information, of the County of Luce, Michigan as of and for the year ended December 31, 2006, which collectively comprise the County's basic financial statements as listed in the table of These financial statements are the responsibility of the County's management. responsibility is to express opinions on these financial statements based on our audit. We did not audit the financial statements of the Helen Newberry Joy Hospital which represents 55% and 65% of the assets and revenues of the Discretely Presented Component Units for the County of Luce, Michigan. Those financial statements were audited by other auditors whose report has been furnished to us, and our opinion, in so far as it related to the amounts recorded for the Helen Newberry Joy Hospital is based on the reports of the other auditors.

We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in Government Auditing Standards, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. An audit also includes assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall financial statement presentation. We believe that our audit provides a reasonable basis for our opinions.

In our opinion, based on our report and the reports of other auditors, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the respective financial position of the governmental activities, the business-type activities, the aggregate discretely presented component units, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information, of the County of Luce, Michigan as of the year ended December 31, 2006, and respective changes in financial position and cash flows, where applicable, thereof for the year then ended in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

Honorable Chairman and Members of the Board of Commissioners County of Luce, Michigan Page 2

In accordance with *Government Auditing Standards*, we have also issued our report dated May 17, 2007 on our consideration of the County of Luce's internal control over financial reporting and our tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts, and grant agreements and other matters. The purpose of that report is to describe the scope of our testing of internal control over financial reporting and compliance and the results of that testing, and not to provide an opinion on the internal control over financial reporting or on compliance. That report is an integral part of an audit performed in accordance with *Government Auditing Standards* and should be considered in assessing the results of our audit.

The Management's Discussion and Analysis and the budgetary comparison information as listed in the table of contents are not a required part of the basic financial statements but are supplementary information required by accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America. We have applied certain limited procedures, which consisted principally of inquiries of management regarding the methods of measurement and presentation of the required supplementary information. However, we did not audit the information and express no opinion on it.

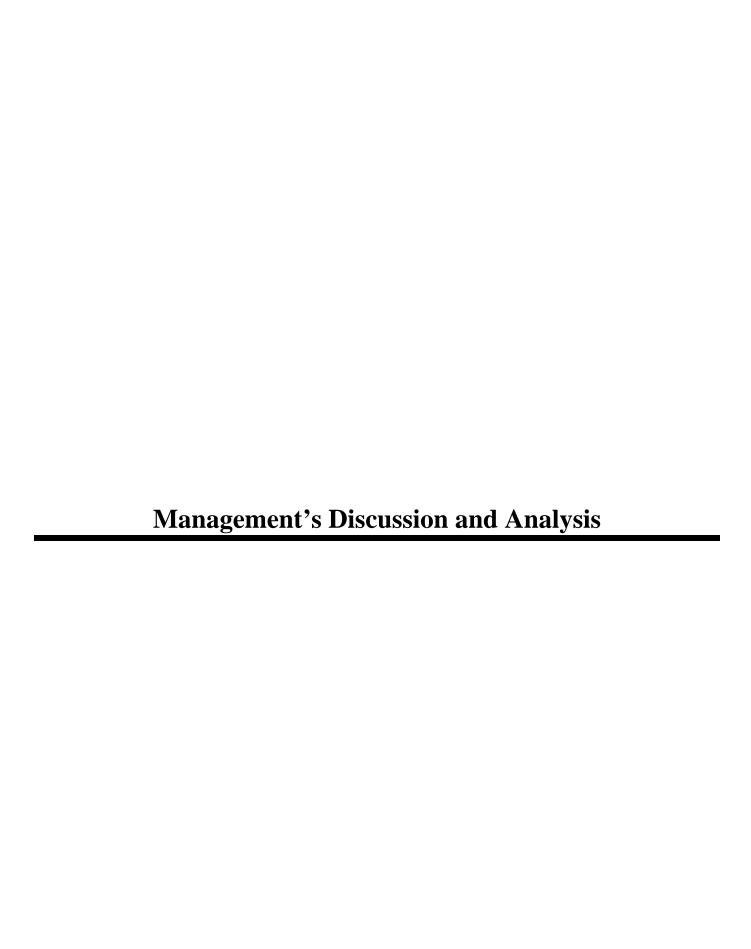
Our audit was conducted for the purpose of forming opinions on the financial statements that collectively comprise the County of Luce, Michigan's basic financial statements. The combining nonmajor fund financial statements are presented for purposes of additional analysis and are not a required part of the basic financial statements. The combining nonmajor fund financial statements have been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the basic financial statements, and, in our opinion, are fairly stated in all material respects in relation to the basic financial statements taken as a whole.

The additional information regarding the Municipal Securities Disclosure Requirements of the Securities Exchange Commission (SEC) Rule 15c2-12 have not been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the basic financial statements, and accordingly, we express no opinion on them. The accompanying schedule of expenditures of federal awards is presented for purposes of additional analysis as required by OMB Circular A-133 and is not a required part of the basic financial statements of the County of Luce. The accompanying schedule of expenditures of federal awards has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the basic financial statements, and, in our opinion, the information is fairly stated in all material respects in relation to the basic financial statements taken as a whole.

Anderson, Tackman & Company, PLC Certified Public Accountants

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May 17, 2007



Using this Annual Report

This annual report consists of a series of financial statements. The Statement of Net Assets and the Statement of Activities provide information about the activities of the County as a whole and present a longer-term view of the County's finances. Fund financial statements tell how services were financed in the short-term, as well as what remains for future spending. Fund financial statements also report the County's operations in more detail than the government-wide financial statements.

The County as a Whole

Luce County is the 14th largest county in Michigan in total acreage but 2nd to the last in taxable value due to the fact that well over 50% of the land is State owned, Commercial Forest property, or tax exempt. The County still has to provide law enforcement and rescue services to the entire county which presents quite a challenge to the Board of Commissioners.

The 2006 General Fund revenues increased by about \$54,378 from 2005 mainly due to an increase in property taxes, interest earned, large criminal bond forfeiture, and a transfer from obligated debt due to over collection of the hospital bond.

In a condensed format, the table below shows the net assets of Luce County.

	Govern	nmental	Busine	ss-Type				
	Acti	vities	Acti	vities	Total			
	2006	2005	2006	2005	2006	2005		
Current Assets Noncurrent Assets	\$ 3,524,432 3,336,779	\$ 3,907,378 3,259,643	\$ 686,916	\$ 563,737	\$ 4,211,348 3,336,779	\$ 4,471,115 3,259,643		
Total Assets	\$ 6,861,211	<u>\$ 7,167,021</u>	<u>\$ 686,916</u>	<u>\$ 563,737</u>	\$ 7,548,127	<u>\$ 7,730,758</u>		
Current Liabilities Noncurrent Liabilities	\$ 746,537 541,806	\$ 1,747,893 681,409	\$ 304,527	\$ 180,922	\$ 1,051,064 541,806	\$ 1,928,815 681,409		
Total Liabilities	1,288,343	2,429,302	304,527	180,922	1,592,870	2,610,224		
Net Assets Invested in Capital Assets -								
Net of Debt	2,749,646	2,348,704	-	-	2,749,646	2,348,704		
Restricted for Debt	484,898	592,309	-	-	484,898	592,309		
Restricted for Revenue Sharing Unrestricted	515,445 1,822,879	359,954 1,436,752	382,389	382,815	515,445 2,205,268	359,954 1,819,567		
Total Net Assets	\$ 5,572,868	<u>\$ 4,737,719</u>	\$ 382,389	<u>\$ 382,815</u>	\$ 5,955,257	\$ 5,120,534		

Management's Discussion and Analysis December 31, 2006

The current level of unrestricted net assets for our governmental activities stands at \$1,822,879 or about 55% of expenditures. This is within the targeted range set by the County Board of Commissioners during its last budget process.

Net Assets of the governmental activities increased approximately 18%. Net Assets of the business – type activities decreased approximately .1%.

The following table shows the activities of the County.

		nmental vities	BusinesActiv	ss-Type vities	Total			
	2006	2005	2006	2005	2006	2005		
Program Revenues								
Charges for Services	\$ 787,153	\$ 780,405	\$ 115,883	\$ 119,986	\$ 903,036	\$ 900,391		
Operating Grants and		,			•			
Contributions	652,898	666,972	8,554	910	661,452	667,882		
Capital Grants and								
Contributions	235,000	455,974	=	-	235,000	455,974		
General Revenues								
Property Taxes	2,246,367	2,160,430		-	2,246,367	2,160,430		
Other	33,335	56,636	5,497	28,781	38,832	85,417		
Unrestricted Investment								
Earnings	122,228	61,381	13,317	6,326	135,545	67,707		
Transfers	61,896	32,066	(61,896)	(32,066)	<u> </u>			
Total Revenues	4,138,877	4,213,864	81,355	123,937	4,220,232	4,337,801		
Program Expenses								
Legislative	55,212	58,128	-	_	55,212	58,128		
Judicial	531,088	511,190		_	531,088	511,190		
General Government	664,072	727,091	-	_	664,072	727,091		
Public Safety	661,519	642,567	-	_	661,519	642,567		
Public Works	284,583	304,976	-	_	284,583	304,976		
Health and Welfare	478,363	304,729		-	478,363	304,729		
Community Economic								
Development	69,237	79,010	-	_	69,237	79,010		
Recreation and Culture	231,792	132,344	-	_	231,792	132,344		
Other Expenses	327,862	434,606	-	-	327,862	434,606		
Tax Collection	-	_	21,829	16,442	21,829	16,442		
Other			59,952	85,464	59,952	85,464		
Total Expenses	3,303,728	3,194,641	81,781	101,906	3,385,509	3,296,547		
Changes in Net Assets	835,149	1,019,223	(426)	22,031	834,723	1,041,254		
Beginning Net Assets	4,737,719	3,718,496	382,815	360,784	5,120,534	4,079,280		
Ending Net Assets	\$ 5,572,868	\$ 4,737,719	\$ 382,389	\$ 382,815	\$ 5,955,257	\$ 5,120,534		

Management's Discussion and Analysis December 31, 2006

Governmental Activities

Revenue from property taxes increased 4% from the previous year gaining, \$85,937. Average gain from property taxes over the previous five years was \$189,041 per year.

Business-Type Activities

The County business-type activities are multi-faceted. They range from Tax Collection, Building Department, Abstract, and Fair Board. The Tax Collection funds significantly support the General and Special Revenue Funds.

The County's Funds

Our analysis of the County's major funds begins on page 9 following the entity wide financial statements. The individual fund financial statements provide detailed information about the most significant funds, not the County as a whole. The County Board of Commissioners creates funds to help manage money for specific purposes as well as to show accountability for certain activities, such as special property tax millages. The County's major funds for 2006 include the General Fund, Revenue Sharing Reserve, Ambulance, Hospital Bond Debt Service, Airport, 2005 Delinquent Tax Fund, and the Tax Revolving Reserve Fund.

The General Fund supports most of the County's governmental services. The costliest are the police, court, and law enforcement functions. The Tax Revolving Reserve Fund is supported by interest and fees from the collection of taxes.

Component Units of the County include: Luce County Road Commission, Luce-Mackinac-Alger-Schoolcraft (LMAS) District Health Department, Luce County Housing Commission, Luce County Economic Development Corporation, and Helen Newberry Joy Hospital. Financial information for these component units are reported separately from the financial information presented for the primary government itself. Separately issued reports can be obtained from each component unit's office as stated in Note 1.

General Fund Budgetary Highlights

Prior to the beginning of any year, the Board of Commissioner's budget is compiled based upon certain assumptions and facts available at that time. During the year, the Board acts to amend its budget to reflect changes in these original assumptions, facts and/or economic conditions that were unknown at the time the original budget was compiled. In addition, the Board reviews and authorizes large expenditures when requested throughout the year.

Major changes to the original revenue budget were due to an increase in interest earned, large criminal bond forfeiture, and a transfer from obligated debt due to over collection on the hospital bond.

Management's Discussion and Analysis December 31, 2006

Major increases to the original expense budget were due to election expenses, increase in heating costs, and carpeting of a building.

Other Funds

New funds added in 2006 were Fund 262 Youth Alcohol Enforcement Grant and Fund 263 Fingerprint System Fund for Sheriff Department and Fund 296 Drug Court for District Court.

Funds deleted in 2006 were Fund 284 Brownfield Site Plan Grant, Fund DTR 624 for 2001 taxes, and Fund 726 Employees Compensation Fund.

Capital Asset and Debt Administration

During 2006, the County shows investments of \$3,336,779 in capital assets that met the dollar threshold of the reporting requirement. Purchases made in 2006 included a snowmobile and fingerprint system for the Sheriff Department, a vehicle and defibrillator/monitor for the Ambulance Department, new carpeting for the entire building and phase II of airport fence. The land where the old Annex had been, some land at the Industrial Park, and an ATV from the Sheriff Department were sold during the year.

The County reduced its bond debt load by \$590,648 in principal payments in 2006, ending with a debt balance of \$794,224. \$308,497 was for payments on delinquent taxes with the balance being put toward bonds for the DPW Sewer, Parks and Recreation, General Obligation Bonds and Capital Development Bonds. The County made the final payment on the hospital bonds.

Economic Factors and Next Year's Budgets and Rates

The County is in a budget battle from year to year. The cap on the growth rate under the Headlee Amendment, the voters reluctance to adjust or augment taxes for general operation, and the corresponding double digit growth rates in health and liability insurance have put significant limitations on budget flexibility. There are looming indications from the State that further cuts will occur in other State funded areas. This could put increased pressure on already tight budget projections. We are pleased to end the current year with healthy fund balances in all major funds, but are realistic in projecting revenue from fines and fees for current and future budgets in order that revenue expectations and corresponding expenses are not inflated.

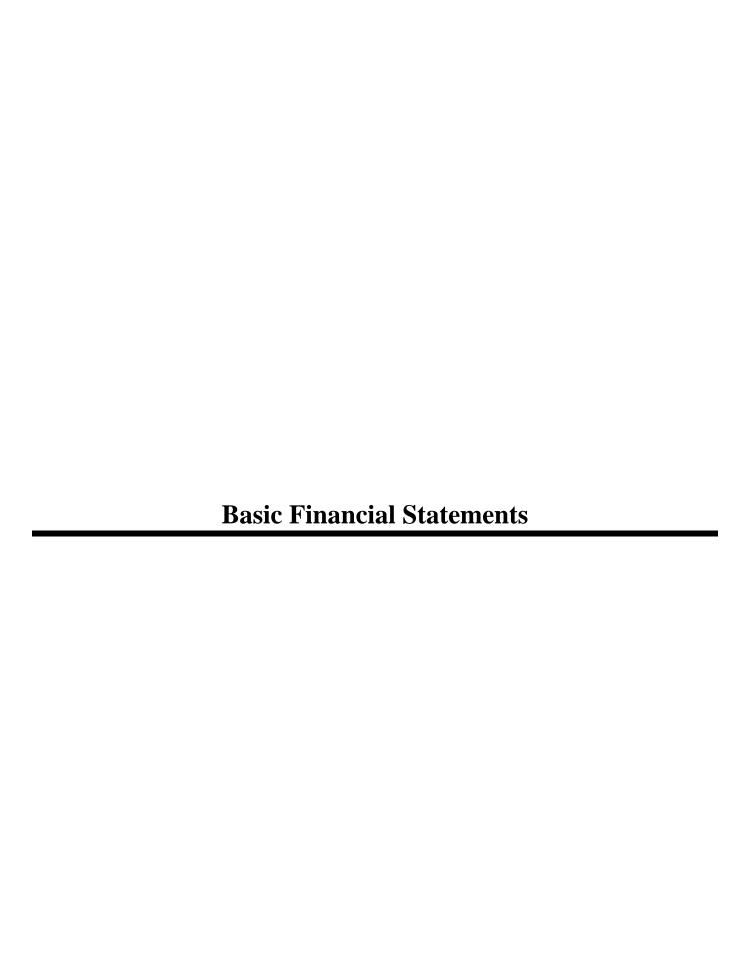
The local economy is heavily dependent on the Newberry Correctional Facility which employees 340 workers in Luce County. If the facility was to close it would have a tremendous negative impact on the local economy.

Component Unit

A complete financial statement and management's discussion and analysis may be obtained from the LMAS District Health Department and Luce County Housing Commission.

Contacting the County's Management

This financial report is intended to provide our citizens, taxpayers, customers and investors with a general overview of the County's finances and to show the County's accountability for the money it receives. If you have any questions about this report or need additional information, please contact the Clerk's Office at (906) 293-5521.



Statement of Net Assets December 31, 2006

	Primary C			ment				
		overnmental Activities	Bus	siness-type activities		Totals	(Component Units
ASSETS:		Activities		cuvines		Totals		Onits
Current Assets:								
Cash & Investments - Unrestricted	\$	1,688,419	\$	393,677	\$	2,082,096	\$	5,421,778
- Restricted	Ψ	432,668	Ψ	-	4	432,668	Ψ	915,681
Receivables:		.52,555				,		710,001
Accounts		336,054		_		336,054		4,608,090
Taxes		878,152		266,001		1,144,153		_
Interest		_		33,764		33,764		_
Loans		_		-		_		1,412,326
Internal Loans		6,526		(6,526)		-		_
Due from Governmental Units		154,829		-		154,829		397,334
Inventories		14,056		-		14,056		737,221
Prepaid Expenses		13,728		-		13,728		532,389
Other Assets		-		-		-		124,850
Non-Current Assets:								
Capital Assets Not Depreciated		1,573,942		-		1,573,942		156,891
Capital Assets (Net of Accumulated Depreciation)		1,762,837				1,762,837		16,239,579
TOTAL ASSETS	\$	6,861,211	\$	686,916	\$	7,548,127	\$	30,546,139
LIABILITIES:								
Current Liabilities:								
Accounts Payable	\$	105,366	\$	164	\$	105,530	\$	636,011
Accrued Liabilities		41,162		496		41,658		1,474,694
Accrued Interest Payable		10,074		-		10,074		_
Due to Governmental Units		-		-		-		58,451
Deferred Revenue		466,121		-		466,121		65,204
Other Liabilities		387		57,198		57,585		110,255
Notes Payable		7,509		246,669		254,178		267,251
Bonds Payable		91,000		-		91,000		401,358
Capital Leases Payable		24,918		-		24,918		-
Non-Current Liabilities:								
Advances		-		-		-		145,756
Notes Payable		32,046		-		32,046		611,265
Bonds Payable		417,000		-		417,000		4,834,882
Capital Leases Payable		14,660		-		14,660		-
Compensated Absences		78,100				78,100		491,053
TOTAL LIABILITIES		1,288,343		304,527		1,592,870		9,096,180
NET ASSETS:								
Invested in Capital Assets (net of related debt)		2,749,646		-		2,749,646		10,533,743
Restricted for County Road		-		-		-		888,735
Restricted for Debt Service		484,898		-		484,898		-
Restricted for Revenue Sharing		515,445		-		515,445		-
Restricted by Donors		-		-		-		106,613
Unrestricted		1,822,879		382,389		2,205,268		9,920,868
TOTAL NET ASSETS	\$	5,572,868	\$	382,389	\$	5,955,257	\$	21,449,959
See accompanying notes to financial statements.		7						

Statement of Activities For the Year Ended December 31, 2006

Net (Expense) Revenue	anc

			Program Revenues	l				
			Operating	Capital		Primary Governmen	t	
		Charges for	Grants and	Grants and	Governmental	Business-type		Component
Functions/Programs	Expenses	Services	Contributions	Contributions	Activities	Activities	Total	Units
Primary Government:								
Governmental Activities:								
Legislative	\$ 55,212	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ (55,212)	\$ -	\$ (55,212)	\$ -
Judicial	531,088	179,762	239,076	-	(112,250)	-	(112,250)	-
General Government	664,072	100,441	16,880	-	(546,751)	-	(546,751)	-
Public Safety	661,519	121,108	243,729	-	(296,682)	-	(296,682)	-
Public Works	284,583	62,236	72,927	235,000	85,580	-	85,580	-
Health & Welfare	478,363	245,196	2,004	-	(231,163)	-	(231,163)	-
Community/Economic Development	69,237	9,596	67,912	-	8,271	-	8,271	-
Recreation and Culture	231,792	68,814	10,370	-	(152,608)	-	(152,608)	-
Other	327,862				(327,862)	<u> </u>	(327,862)	
Total Governmental Activities	3,303,728	787,153	652,898	235,000	(1,628,677)		(1,628,677)	
Business-type activities:								
Tax Collection	21,829	75,125	-	-	-	53,296	53,296	-
Other	59,952	40,758	8,554			(10,640)	(10,640)	
Total Business-type Activities	81,781	115,883	8,554			42,656	42,656	
Total Primary Government	\$ 3,385,509	\$ 903,036	\$ 661,452	\$ 235,000	(1,628,677)	42,656	(1,586,021)	
Component Units:								
Road Commission	\$ 3,023,225	\$ 758,769	\$ 2,888,152	\$ -				623,696
LMAS District Health Department	6,623,422	4,390,555	2,096,386	-				(136,481)
Economic Development	489,734	279,645	-	-				(210,089)
Housing Commission	623,763	117,028	493,209	-				(13,526)
Helen Newberry Joy Hospital	24,033,237	23,406,574						(626,663)
Total Component Units	34,793,381	28,952,571	5,477,747					(363,063)
Total	\$ 38,178,890	\$ 29,855,607	\$ 6,139,199	\$ 235,000				
General Revenues:								
Taxes					2,246,367	-	2,246,367	-
Local Sources and Other					55,738	5,497	61,235	1,318,253
Investment Earnings (Loss)					122,228	13,317	135,545	167,806
Gain (Loss) on Equipment Disposal					(22,403)	-	(22,403)	41,400
Transfers					61,896	(61,896)		
Total General Revenues and Transfers					2,463,826	(43,082)	2,420,744	1,527,459
Changes in Net Assets					835,149	(426)	834,723	1,164,396
Net Assets - Beginning					4,737,719	382,815	5,120,534	20,285,563
Net Assets - Ending					\$ 5,572,868	\$ 382,389	\$ 5,955,257	\$ 21,449,959

Balance Sheet Governmental Funds December 31, 2006

						Revenue				Hospital		Vonmajor	Total		
						Sharing			_	Bond	Go	vernmental	Go	overnmental	
		General	Ambulance			Reserve		Airport		Debt Service		Funds		Funds	
ASSETS:	ф	200.206	Φ.	127.070	ф	105.051	ф	20.101	ф	200,000	ф	116.070	ф	1 600 410	
Cash & Investments - Unrestricted	\$	390,396	\$	427,979	\$	195,871	\$	28,101	\$	200,000	\$	446,072	\$	1,688,419	
- Restricted		-		-		-		-		432,668		-		432,668	
Receivables:															
Accounts		-		308,889		-		531		-		26,634		336,054	
Taxes		167,894		147,759		271,250		75,997		-		215,252		878,152	
Due from Other Funds		144,814		-		164,083		-		-		2,599		311,496	
Due from Governmental Units		54,503		-		-		-		-		100,326		154,829	
Inventories		-		-		-		14,056		-		-		14,056	
Prepaid Expenses		13,728					_							13,728	
TOTAL ASSETS	\$	771,335	\$	884,627	\$	631,204	\$	118,685	\$	632,668	\$	790,883	\$	3,829,402	
LIABILITIES:															
Due to Other Funds	\$	-	\$	-	\$	115,759	\$	-	\$	147,770	\$	41,441	\$	304,970	
Accounts Payable		34,428		6,967		-		16,207		-		47,764		105,366	
Accrued Liabilities		28,998		5,435		-		914		-		5,815		41,162	
Other Liabilities		-		-		-		387		-		-		387	
Deferred Revenue		27,113		147,759				75,997				215,252		466,121	
TOTAL LIABILITIES		90,539		160,161	_	115,759		93,505		147,770		310,272		918,006	
FUND BALANCES:															
Reserved		_		_		515,445		_		484,898		-		1,000,343	
Unreserved															
Designated for Special Purposes		_		_		_		_		_		23,736		23,736	
Undesignated	_	680,796		724,466				25,180				456,875		1,887,317	
TOTAL FUND BALANCES		680,796		724,466	_	515,445		25,180		484,898		480,611		2,911,396	
	\$	771,335	\$	884,627	\$	631,204	\$	118,685	\$	632,668	\$	790,883			

Capital assets used by governmental activities

Long-term notes & leases payable for governmental activities

Compensated absences liability

Accrued interest payable

Net assets of governmental activities

3,336,779 (587,133) (78,100) (10,074) 5,572,868

Statement of Revenues, Expenditures, and Changes in Fund Balance - Governmental Funds For the Year Ended December 31, 2006

	General	General Ambulance		Revenue Sharing Reserve Airport			Hospital Bond Debt Service		Nonmajor Governmental Funds		Total Governmental Funds	
REVENUES:												
Taxes	\$ 1,202,700	\$	157,795	\$	271,250	\$	76,475	\$	321,552	\$	216,595	\$ 2,246,367
Licenses & Permits	11,014		-		-		-		-		1,114	12,128
Federal Sources	111,909		-		-		188,000		-		130,526	430,435
State Sources	105,773		-		-		41,125		-		286,801	433,699
Local Sources	20,244		-		-		5,875		-		53,383	79,502
Charges for Services	250,286		240,199		-		53,622		-		155,310	699,417
Interest & Rentals	54,437		14,202		-		3,060		31,920		21,909	125,528
Fines and Forfeitures	15,454		-		-				-		2,000	17,454
Other Revenue	15,838		1,551				7,714				29,751	54,854
TOTAL REVENUES	1,787,655		413,747		271,250		375,871		353,472		897,389	4,099,384
EXPENDITURES:												
Legislative	55,212		-		-		-		-		-	55,212
Judicial	512,506		-		-		-		-		22,814	535,320
General Government	678,783		-		-		-		-		11,757	690,540
Public Safety	382,167		-		-		-		-		299,483	681,650
Public Works	-		-		-		128,964		-		58,527	187,491
Health & Welfare	11,503		293,584		-		-		-		116,496	421,583
Community/Economic Development	-		-		-		-		-		67,926	67,926
Recreation & Cultural	-		-		-		-		-		208,800	208,800
Capital Outlay	-		_		-		235,000		_		29,258	264,258
Debt Service	-		-		-		-		200,190		120,884	321,074
Other Expenditures	191,164								107,440		<u> </u>	298,604
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	1,831,335		293,584				363,964		307,630		935,945	3,732,458
EXCESS (DEFICIENCY) OF												
REVENUES OVER EXPENDITURES	(43,680)		120,163		271,250		11,907		45,842		(38,556)	366,926
OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES):												
Operating Transfers In	353,012		-		-		10,863		-		211,811	575,686
Operating Transfers Out	(139,648)		(64,901)		(115,759)		(5,000)		(153,253)		(35,229)	(513,790)
EXCESS (DEFICIENCY) OF REVENUES AND OTHER FINANCING SOURCES OVER EXPENDITURES AND OTHER FINANCING USES	169,684		55,262		155,491		17,770		(107,411)		138,026	428,822
AND OTHER PHANCING USES	109,004		JJ,404		133,471		17,770		(107,411)		130,020	720,022
FUND BALANCES, JANUARY 1	511,112		669,204	_	359,954	_	7,410	_	592,309		342,585	2,482,574
FUND BALANCES, DECEMBER 31	\$ 680,796	\$	724,466	\$	515,445	\$	25,180	\$	484,898	\$	480,611	\$ 2,911,396

Reconciliation of the Statement of Revenues, Expenditures, and Changes in Fund Balances of Governmental Funds to the Statement of Activities For the Year Ended December 31, 2006

Net Changes in fund balances - total governmental funds

\$ 428,822

The change in net assets reported for governmental activities in the statement of activities is different because:

Governmental funds reported capital outlays as expenditures. However, in the statement of activities the cost of those assets is capitalized and the cost of those assets is allocated over their estimated useful lives and reported as depreciation expense. This is the amount by which capital outlay \$328,357 exceeded depreciation (\$228,818) and loss on disposal (\$22,403) in the current period.

77,136

Governmental funds report repayment of principal as an expenditure in the governmental funds, but it reduces the liability in the statement of net assets.

Principal repayments:

Bonds & Notes Payable 282,151
Capital Leases 24,811

Under the modified accrual basis of accounting used in governmental funds, expenditures are not recognized for transactions that are not normally paid with expendable available financial resources. In the statement of activities, however, which is presented on the accrual basis, expenses and liabilities are reported regardless of when financial resources are available. In addition, interest on long-term debt is not recognized under the modified accrual basis of accounting until due, rather than as it accrues. This adjustment combines the following net changes:

Compensated Absences	15,459
Accrued Interest Expense	6,770
Changes in net assets of governmental activities	\$ 835,149

Statement of Net Assets Proprietary Funds December 31, 2006

	2005 Tax Revolving		Revolving Reserve		Vonmajor rprise Funds	Totals
ASSETS:			 			
Cash & Investments	\$	75,396	\$ 174,740	\$	143,541	\$ 393,677
Taxes Receivable		235,882	-		30,119	266,001
Accrued Interest Receivable		23,723	 		10,041	 33,764
TOTAL ASSETS	\$	335,001	\$ 174,740	\$	183,701	\$ 693,442
LIABILITIES:						
Due to Other Governmental Units	\$	57,198	\$ -	\$	-	\$ 57,198
Due to Other Funds		-	-		6,526	6,526
Accounts Payable		-	-		164	164
Accrued Liabilities		-	159		337	496
Notes Payable		246,669	 			 246,669
TOTAL LIABILITIES		303,867	159		7,027	311,053
NET ASSETS:						
Unrestricted		31,134	 174,581		176,674	 382,389
TOTAL NET ASSETS	\$	31,134	\$ 174,581	\$	176,674	\$ 382,389

Statement of Revenues, Expenses, and Changes in Net Assets - Proprietary Funds For the Year Ended December 31, 2006

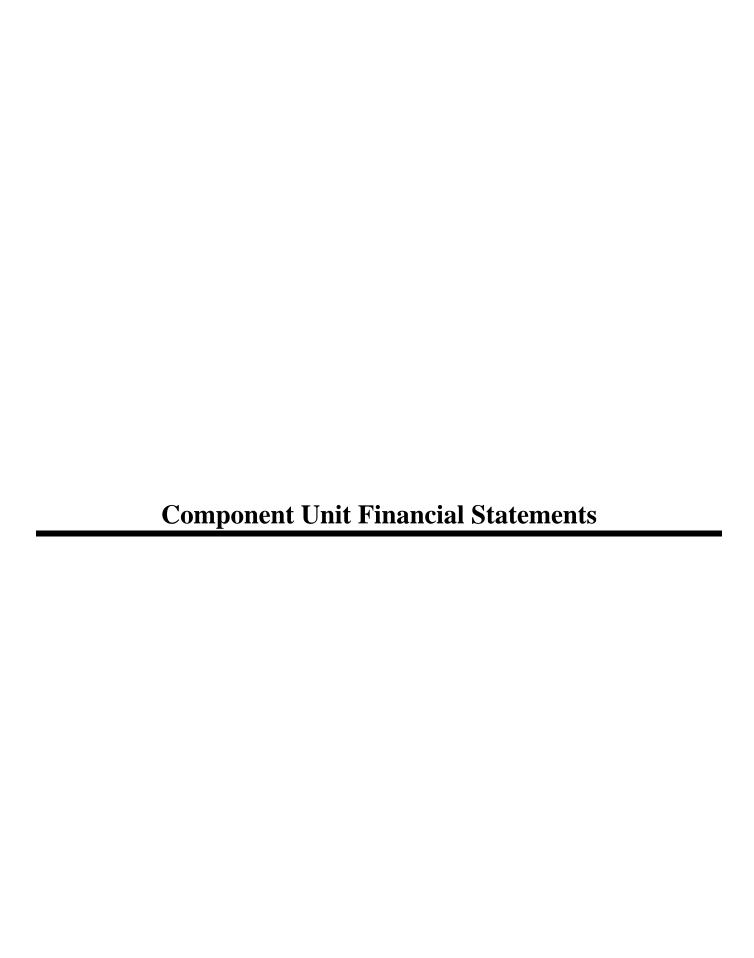
		Enterprise Funds					
	2005 Tax Revolving	Tax Revolving Reserve	Nonmajor Enterprise Funds	Totals			
OPERATING REVENUES:							
Charges for Services	\$ 11,475	\$ 776	\$ 52,211	\$ 64,462			
State Sources	-	<u>-</u>	8,554	8,554			
Interest & Rentals	34,785	1,074	15,562	51,421			
Other Revenue			5,497	5,497			
Total Operating Revenues	46,260	1,850	81,824	129,934			
OPERATING EXPENSES:							
Personal Services	-	-	39,071	39,071			
Utilities	-	-	1,057	1,057			
Repair & Maintenance	-	-	9,274	9,274			
Other Supplies & Expenses	6,578	486	12,038	19,102			
Total Operating Expenses	6,578	486	61,440	68,504			
OPERATING INCOME (LOSS)	39,682	1,364	20,384	61,430			
NON-OPERATING REVENUES (EXPENSES):							
Interest on Deposits	2,264	6,902	4,151	13,317			
Interest Expense	(10,812)		(2,465)	(13,277)			
Total Non-operating Revenues (Expenses)	(8,548)	6,902	1,686	40			
INCOME (LOSS) BEFORE TRANSFERS	31,134	8,266	22,070	61,470			
Operating Transfers In	-	57,665	681	58,346			
Operating Transfers Out		(62,577)	(57,665)	(120,242)			
CHANGES IN NET ASSETS	31,134	3,354	(34,914)	(426)			
NET ASSETS, JANUARY 1		171,227	211,588	382,815			
NET ASSETS, DECEMBER 31	\$ 31,134	\$ 174,581	\$ 176,674	\$ 382,389			

Statement of Cash Flows Proprietary Fund Types For the Year Ended December 31, 2006

		Enterprise Funds		
	2005 Tax Revolving	Tax Revolving Reserve	Nonmajor Enterprise Funds	Totals
CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES: Receipts from Customers Payments to Suppliers Payments to Employees Internal Activity - Payments to Other Funds	\$ 269,501 (432,226)	\$ 11,961 (447) -	\$ 259,069 (19,754) (39,040) (229)	\$ 540,531 (452,427) (39,040) (229)
Net Cash Provided (Used) by Operating Activities	(162,725)	11,514	200,046	48,835
CASH FLOWS FROM CAPITAL AND RELATED FINANCING ACTIVITIES: Proceeds from Notes Principal Payments	375,000 (128,331)	-	- (180,166)	375,000 (308,497)
Interest Expense	(10,812)		(2,465)	(13,277)
Net Cash Provided (Used) by Capital and Related Financing Activities	235,857		(182,631)	53,226
CASH FLOWS FROM NONCAPITAL AND RELATED FINANCING ACTIVITIES: Operating Transfers In Operating Transfers Out	-	57,665 (62,577)	681 (57,665)	58,346 (120,242)
Net Cash Provided (Used) by Noncapital and Related Financing Activities		(4,912)	(56,984)	(61,896)
CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES: Interest Income	2,264	6,902	4,151	13,317
Net Cash Provided (Used) by Investing Activities	2,264	6,902	4,151	13,317
Net Increase (Decrease) in Cash and Cash Equivalents	75,396	13,504	(35,418)	53,482
Balances - Beginning of the Year		161,236	178,959	340,195
Balances - End of the Year	\$ 75,396	\$ 174,740	\$ 143,541	\$ 393,677
Reconciliation of Operating Income (Loss) to Net Cash Provided (Used) by Operating Activities: Operating Income (Loss) Adjustments to Reconcile Operating Income (Loss) to Net Cash Provided (Used) by Operating Activities:	\$ 39,682	\$ 1,364	\$ 20,384	\$ 61,430
Change in Assets and Liabilities: Taxes Receivable Accrued Interest Receivable Accounts Payable Accrued Liabilities Due to Other Governmental Units	(235,882) (23,723) - - 57,198	6,451 3,660 - 39	161,133 16,112 127 (262) 2,552	(68,298) (3,951) 127 (223) 59,750
Net Cash Provided (Used) by Operating Activities See accompanying notes to financial statements.	\$ (162,725) 14	\$ 11,514	\$ 200,046	\$ 48,835

Statement of Fiduciary Net Assets Fiduciary Funds December 31, 2006

	Age	ency Funds
ASSETS:		_
Cash & Investments - Unrestricted	\$	744,157
Receivables:		
Accounts		29,149
Due from Other Governmental Units		17,568
TOTAL ASSETS	\$	790,874
LIABILITIES:		
Accounts Payable	\$	145
Due to Other Governmental Units		254,453
Accrued Liabilities		1,646
Undistributed Tax Collections		501,222
Undistributed Receipts		33,408
TOTAL LIABILITIES	\$	790,874

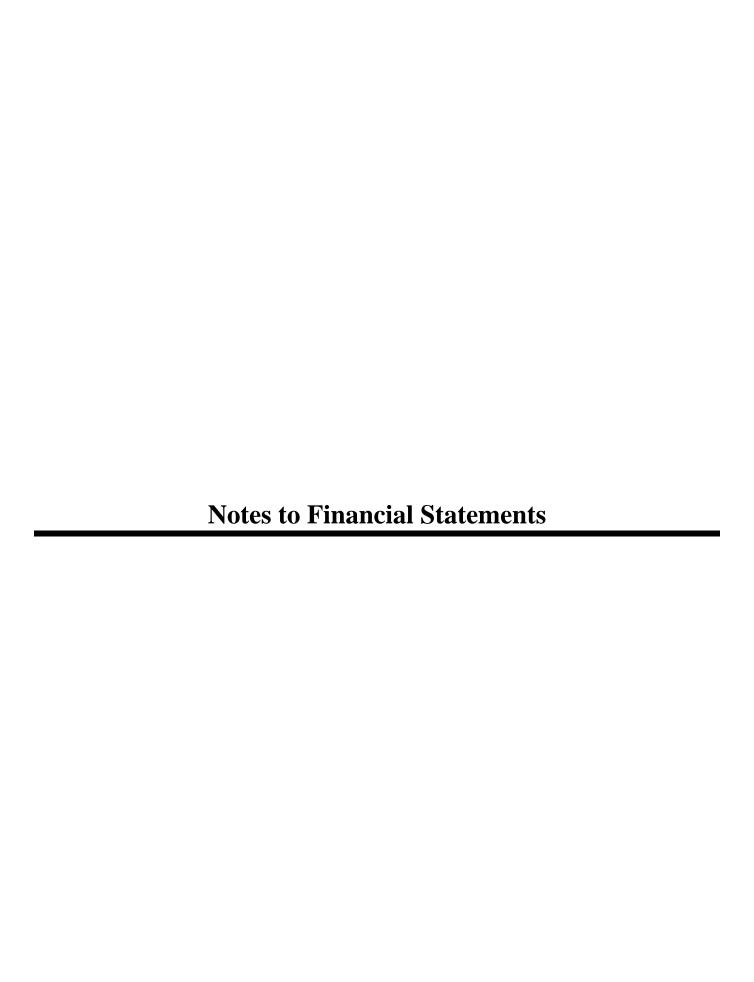


ASSETS:	Road Commission		LMAS Dist. Health Dept.		Economic Development Corporation		C	Housing ommission	Helen Newberry Joy Hospital		Totals	
Current Assets:												
Cash & Investments - Unrestricted - Restricted	\$	736,935	\$	187,138	\$	624,588	\$	1,301,566	\$	2,571,551 915,681	\$	5,421,778 915,681
Receivables:												
Accounts		342,305		1,298,480		_		4,746		2,962,559		4,608,090
Loans		-		_		1,412,326		-		-		1,412,326
Due from Other Governmental Units		-		397,334		-		_		-		397,334
Inventory		264,839		_		-		735		471,647		737,221
Prepaid Expense		93,691		5,337		-		6,087		427,274		532,389
Other Assets		-		, -		_		-		124,850		124,850
Non-Current Assets:												
Capital Assets (not depreciated)		156,891		_		_		_		_		156,891
Capital Assets (net of accumulated depreciation)		5,551,732		124,378		613,323		540,895		9,409,251		16,239,579
TOTAL ASSETS	\$	7,146,393	\$	2,012,667	\$	2,650,237	\$	1,854,029	\$	16,882,813	\$	30,546,139
LIABILITIES:												
Current Liabilities:												
Accounts Payable	\$	1,072	\$	141,494	\$	13,597	\$	10,768	\$	469,080	\$	636,011
Due to Governmental Units		58,451		-		-		-		-		58,451
Accrued Liabilities		62,157		114,568		22		31,953		1,265,994		1,474,694
Deferred Revenue		62,430		2,774		-		-		-		65,204
ACH Payables		-		83,374		-		_		-		83,374
Other Liabilities		-		26,881		-		_		-		26,881
Notes Payable		_		_		19,800		-		247,451		267,251
Leases Payable		_		_		-		-		-		_
Bonds Payable		-		_		-		125,000		276,358		401,358
Non-Current Liabilities:												
Advances		145,756		_		-		_		-		145,756
Notes Payable		-		_		138,600		-		472,665		611,265
Bonds Payable		-		_		-		120,000		4,714,882		4,834,882
Compensated Absences		219,168		266,952				4,933				491,053
TOTAL LIABILITIES		549,034		636,043		172,019		292,654		7,446,430		9,096,180
NET ASSETS:												
Invested in Capital Assets, net of related debt		5,708,624		124,378		613,323		295,895		3,791,523		10,533,743
Restricted for County Road		888,735		-		-		-		-		888,735
Restricted by Donors		-		_		-		-		106,613		106,613
Unrestricted		-		1,252,246		1,864,895		1,265,480		5,538,247		9,920,868
TOTAL NET ASSETS		6,597,359		1,376,624		2,478,218		1,561,375		9,436,383		21,449,959
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS	\$	7,146,393	\$	2,012,667	\$	2,650,237	\$	1,854,029	\$	16,882,813	\$	30,546,139

Statement of Activities Component Units For the Year Ended December 31, 2006

Net (Expense) Re	venue and
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			Program Revenues		Changes in Net Assets						
			Operating	Capital			Economic		Helen		
	_	Charges for	Grants and	Grants and		LMAS District	Development	Housing	Newberry Joy		
Functions/Programs	Expenses	Services	Contributions	Contributions	Road Commission	Health Department	Corporation	Commission	Hospital	Total	
Road Commission:											
Public Works	\$ 3,023,225	\$ 758,769	\$ 2,888,152	\$ -	\$ 623,696	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 623,696	
LMAS District Health Dept.:											
Health & Welfare	6,623,422	4,390,555	2,096,386	-	-	(136,481)	-	-	-	(136,481)	
Economic Development Corporation:											
Economic Development	489,734	279,645	-	-	-	-	(210,089)	-	-	(210,089)	
Housing Commission:											
Public Housing	623,763	117,028	493,209	-	-	-	-	(13,526)	-	(13,526)	
Helen Newberry Joy Hospital:											
Health & Welfare	24,033,237	23,406,574							(626,663)	(626,663)	
Total Component Units	\$ 34,793,381	\$ 28,952,571	\$ 5,477,747	\$ -	623,696	(136,481)	(210,089)	(13,526)	(626,663)	(363,063)	
General Revenues: Investment Earnings Gain (Loss) on Equipment Disposal Other					32,993 400 -	12,094 - 71,487	27,324 - 17,865	16,138 - 1,228,901	79,257 41,000	167,806 41,400 1,318,253	
Total General Revenues					33,393	83,581	45,189	1,245,039	120,257	1,527,459	
Change in Net Assets					657,089	(52,900)	(164,900)	1,231,513	(506,406)	1,164,396	
Net Assets - Beginning					5,940,270	1,429,524	2,643,118	329,862	9,942,789	20,285,563	
Net Assets - Ending					\$ 6,597,359	\$ 1,376,624	\$ 2,478,218	\$ 1,561,375	\$ 9,436,383	\$ 21,449,959	



NOTE 1 - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

The accounting policies of the County of Luce, Michigan, conform to accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America (GAAP) as applicable to governmental entities. The following is a summary of the significant accounting policies used by the County:

A – Reporting Entity

The County of Luce was incorporated under the laws of the State of Michigan in 1887 and operates under an elected Commission form of government and provides services to its more than 7,024 residents in many areas including law enforcement, administration of justice, community enrichment and development, public works, health and welfare, and recreation and culture. As required by U.S. generally accepted accounting principles, the financial statements of the reporting entity include those of the County of Luce (primary government) and its component units. The component units discussed below are included in the County's reporting entity because of the significance of their operational or financial relationships with the County.

Component Units:

The County of Luce has considered all potential units in evaluating how to define the County for financial reporting purposes. The decision to include a potential component unit in the reporting entity was made by applying the criteria set forth in Statement No. 14 as amended by Statement No. 39 of the Government Accounting Standards Board (GASB), The Financial Reporting Entity. The basic criteria include the appointment of a voting majority of the governing board of the unit; legal separation of the County and the component unit, fiscal independence of the unit, whether exclusion of the unit would make the County's financial statements misleading, and whether there is a potential for the organization to provide specific financial benefits to, or impose specific financial burdens on, the County.

In conformity with U.S. generally accepted accounting principles, the financial statements of component units have been included in the financial reporting entity either as blended component units or as discretely presented component units.

Blended Component Units

These funds are included in the Primary Government financial statements. The County of Luce reports no funds that qualify as blended component units.

Discretely Presented Component Units

The component units column in the government-wide financial statements include the financial data of the other component units of the County. The following is a summary of the component units:

NOTE 1 - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

<u>Luce County Road Commission</u> - The members of the governing board of the Road Commission are appointed by the County Commission. Although the County does not have the authority to approve or modify the Road Commission's operational and capital budgets, bonded debt must be approved by the County Commission.

Luce County Road Commission P.O. Box 401 Newberry, MI 49868

<u>Luce-Mackinac-Alger-Schoolcraft (LMAS)</u> District Health Department - The members of the governing body of the LMAS District Health Department are jointly appointed by the Luce, Mackinac, Alger, and Schoolcraft Counties' Commissions. The Health Department's operational and capital budgets are not subject to approval or modification by any governmental entity, and it establishes fees for various services and other activities. The Health Department financial statement disclosures contained herein are presented as of and for the year ended September 30, 2006.

Separate audited financial statements with disclosures may be obtained from the administrative office at the following address:

LMAS District Health Department P.O. Box 398 Newberry, MI 49868

<u>Luce County Housing Commission</u> - The Commission is a legally separate entity whose five-member board is appointed by the County of Luce's Board of Commissioners. The Housing Commission provides subsidized housing financial assistance to lower income families.

Separate audited financial statements with disclosures may be obtained from the administrative office at the following address:

Luce County Housing Commission 550 W. Victory Newberry, MI 49868

<u>Luce County Economic Development Corporation</u> - The Corporation is a legally separate non-profit corporation whose primary purpose is to promote economic development in the County of Luce. The nine-member board of the County of Luce Economic Development Corporation is appointed by the County of Luce's Board of Commissioners.

<u>Helen Newberry Joy Hospital</u> - The Hospital was organized under Public Act 230 of the Public Acts of 1987 and is a county hospital corporation. The Hospital provides inpatient, outpatient, and long-term care services primarily to the citizens of the County of Luce.

NOTE 1 - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

Separate audited financial statements with disclosures may be obtained from the administrative office at the following address:

Helen Newberry Joy Hospital 502 W. Harrie Street Newberry, MI 49868

Condensed Financial Statements

The financial statements present condensed financial statements of each of the five discretely presented component units.

Jointly Governed Organization

Joint Venture Community Health Services - Pursuant to an amendment to the Mental Health Code, Public Act 290 of 1995 the Counties of Alger, Chippewa, Marquette, Delta and Luce created a Community Mental Health Authority with powers and duties as defined in Section 205, MCL 330.1205, known as Pathways to Healthy Living. Under such provisions, Pathways to Healthy Living became a separate legal entity from the counties and has its own reporting unit. The Board consists of members of the participating counties as appointed by the respective counties. The Board has full power to comply and carry out the financial and clinical provisions of the Mental Health Code. The County appropriated \$25,000 for the Authority in 2006.

The separately issued financial statements can be obtained from the administrative office of the Board at:

Pathways to Healthy Living 200 West Spring Street Marquette, MI 49855

Multi-County Agency

The County participates jointly in the operation of the Department of Human Services Agency with thirteen other Counties in the Upper Peninsula (a component unit of Delta County). All financial operations of the Agency are recorded at the Delta County location. The County appropriated \$6,000 for the Agency in 2006.

B – Government-Wide and Fund Financial Statements

The government-wide financial statements (i.e., the statement of net assets and the statement of activities) report information on all of the nonfiduciary activities of the primary government and its component units. For the most part, the effect of interfund activity has been removed from these statements. Governmental activities, normally supported by taxes and intergovernmental revenues, are reported separately from business-type activities which rely to a significant extent on fees and charges for support. Likewise, the primary government is reported separately from certain legally separate component units for which the primary government is financially accountable.

The statement of activities demonstrates the degree to which the direct expenses of a given function or segment, are offset by program revenues. Direct expenses are those that are clearly identifiable with a specific function or segment. Program revenues include: (1) charges to customers or applicants who purchase, use, or directly benefit from goods, services, or privileges provided by a given function or segment; and (2) grants and contributions that are restricted to meeting the operational or capital requirements of a particular function or segment. Taxes and other items not properly included among program revenues are reported instead as general revenue.

Separate financial statements are provided for governmental funds, proprietary funds and fiduciary funds, even though the latter are excluded from the government-wide financial statements. Major individual governmental funds and major individual enterprise funds are reported as separate columns in the fund financial statements.

C – Measurement Focus, Basis of Accounting and Financial Statement Presentation

The government-wide financial statements are reported using the economic resources measurement focus and the accrual basis of accounting, as are the proprietary fund and fiduciary fund financial statements. Revenue is recorded when earned and expenses are recorded when a liability is incurred, regardless of the timing of related cash flows. Property taxes are recognized as revenue in the year for which they are levied. Grants and similar items are recognized as revenue as soon as all eligibility requirements imposed by the provider have been met.

Governmental fund financial statements are reported using the current financial resources measurement focus and the modified accrual basis of accounting. Revenue is recognized as soon as it is both measurable and available. Revenue is considered to be available if it is collected within the current period or soon enough thereafter to pay liabilities of the current period. For this purpose, the government considers revenues to be available if they are collected within 60 days of the end of the current fiscal period. Expenditures generally are recorded when a liability is incurred, as under accrual accounting. However, debt service expenditures, expenditures relating to compensated absences, and claims and judgments are recorded only when payment is due.

NOTE 1 - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

The County reports the following major governmental funds:

General Fund

This is the County's primary operating fund. It accounts for all financial resources of the general government, except those required to be accounted for in another fund.

Ambulance Fund

This fund accounts for the operation of the Luce County Ambulance.

Airport Fund

This fund accounts for the operation of the Luce County Airport.

Revenue Sharing Reserve Fund

This fund accounts for restricted funds that are limited to amounts previously reported as state revenue sharing distributed annually, which can be used to fund governmental operations.

Hospital Bond – Debt Service Fund

This fund accounts for the repayments of principal and interest on Hospital Bonds.

2005 Tax Revolving

This fund accounts for the collection of 2004 delinquent taxes.

Tax Revolving Reserve

This fund accounts for the collection of delinquent taxes.

Additionally, the County reports the following fund types:

Agency Funds

Agency Funds are used to account for assets held by the County as an agent for individuals, private organizations, other governments, and/or other funds. Agency Funds are custodial in nature (assets equal liabilities) and do no involve measurement of results of operations.

All other revenue items are considered to be available only when cash is received by the government.

Private-sector standards of accounting issued prior to December 1, 1989 are generally followed in both the government-wide and proprietary fund financial statements to the extent that those standards do not conflict with the standards of the Governmental Accounting Standards Board. The government has elected not to follow private-sector standards issued after November 30, 1989 for its business-type activities.

As a general rule, the effect of interfund activity has been eliminated from the government-wide financial statements. Exceptions to this general rule are charges between the government's tax collection function and various other functions of the government. Eliminations of these charges would distort the direct costs and program revenues reported for the various functions concerned.

Amounts reported as program revenue include: (1) charges to customers or applicants for goods, services or privileges provided; (2) operating grants and contributions; and (3) capital grants and contributions, including special assessments. Internally dedicated resources are reported as general revenue rather than as program revenue. Likewise, general revenue includes all taxes.

Proprietary funds distinguish operating revenue and expenses from nonoperating items. Operating revenue and expenses generally result from providing services in connection with a proprietary fund's principal ongoing operations. The principal operating revenue of our proprietary funds relate to charges to customers for tax collections. Operating expenses for proprietary funds include the cost of sales and services, and administrative expenses. All revenue and expenses not meeting this definition are reported as nonoperating revenue and expenses.

D - Assets, Liabilities, and Net Assets or Equity

<u>Bank Deposits and Investments</u> – Cash and cash equivalents are considered to be cash on hand, demand deposits, and short-term investments with a maturity of three months or less when acquired. Investments are stated at fair value. Pooled investment income from all funds and is allocated to each fund based on average cash balance. Deposits are recorded at cost.

<u>Receivables and Payables</u> – In general, outstanding balances between funds are reported as "due to/from other funds." Activity between funds that is representative of lending/borrowing arrangements outstanding at the end of the fiscal year is referred to as "advances to/from other funds. Any residual balances outstanding between the governmental activities and the business-type activities are reported in the government-wide financial statements as "internal balances."

<u>Accounts Receivable – Ambulance</u> – The accounts receivable is net of an allowance for doubtful accounts of \$126,165.

<u>Taxes Receivable – Current or Property Taxes</u> – The County of Luce property tax is levied on each December 1st and July 1st on the taxable valuation of property (as defined by State statutes) located in the County of Luce as of the preceding December 31st.

Although the County of Luce 2005 ad valorem tax is levied and collectible on December 1, 2005, and 2006 ad valorem tax is levied and collectible on July 1, 2006, it is the County of Luce's policy to recognize revenue from the current tax levy in the current year when the proceeds of this levy are budgeted and made "available" for the financing of operations. "Available" means collected within the current period or expected to be paid from the delinquent tax revolving funds within one year.

The December 1, 2005 taxable valuation of the County of Luce totaled \$154,782,031, on which ad valorem taxes levied consisted of 3.6627 mills for the County operating, .9817 mills for Ambulance, .4759 mills for Parks and Recreation, .4759 mills for Extension, .3961 mills for Animal Control, 2.0 mills for Hospital Bond Debt Service, and .4759 mills for Airport Operating. These amounts are recognized in the respective General, Special Revenue, and Debt Service Fund financial statements as revenue.

The July 1, 2006 taxable valuation of the County of Luce totaled \$163,374,240, on which ad valorem taxes levied consisted of 3.5734 mills for the General Fund, this amount is recognized in the General Fund.

The Revenue Sharing Reserve Fund utilized \$271,250 of the winter general fund operating levy to fund revenue sharing.

All other revenue items are considered to be available only when cash is received by the government.

<u>Inventories and Prepaid Items</u> – Inventories are valued at cost using the first in/first out (FIFO) method. The Airport fund maintains an inventory balance for fuel. The costs of all other governmental fund-type inventories are recorded as expenditures when consumed rather than when purchased. Certain payments to venders reflect costs applicable to future fiscal years and are recorded as prepaid items in both the government-wide and fund financial statements.

<u>Capital Assets</u> – Capital assets, which include property, plant, equipment, infrastructure assets (e.g., roads, bridges, sidewalks, and similar items) are reported in the applicable governmental or business-type activities column in the government-wide financial statements. Capital assets are defined by the government as assets with an initial individual cost of more than \$5,000 and an estimated useful life in excess of two years. Such assets are recorded at historical cost or estimated historical cost if purchased or constructed. Donated capital assets are recorded at estimated fair market value at the date of donation.

Property, plant and equipment is depreciated using the straight-line method except for road equipment which uses sum-of-the-years'-digit method. The depreciation rates are designed to amortize the cost of the assets over their estimated useful lives as follows:

Buildings	30 to 60 years
Building Improvements	15 to 30 years
Roads	10 to 30 years
Vehicles	3 to 5 years
Equipment	3 to 10 years
Furniture and Fixtures	3 to 7 years
Land Improvements	15 to 30 years
Infrastructure – Roads	8 to 20 years
Infrastructure – Bridges	12 to 30 years

<u>Vested Benefits Payable – County General Employees</u> - The County's employment policies provide for vacation benefits to be earned in varying amounts depending on the employee's years of service.

The annual vacation benefits earned by each employee during the current year are credited to the employee at year end. Employees are required to use their vacation benefits within one year, except under special circumstances where, with the approval of the department head, some carry-over may be authorized.

The County's employment policies provide for sick leave benefits to be earned at the rate of one day per month. When employees separate from employment with the County, sheriff department employees are entitled to half of their accumulated sick time and government center employees are entitled to a maximum of 15 days.

<u>Long-Term Obligations</u> – In the government-wide financial statements and the proprietary fund types in the fund financial statements, long-term debt and other long-term obligations are reported as liabilities in the applicable governmental activities, business-type activities, or proprietary fund type statement of net assets.

<u>Fund Equity</u> – In the fund financial statements, governmental funds report reservations of fund balance for amounts that are not available for appropriation or are legally restricted by outside parties for use for a specific purpose. Designations of fund balance represent tentative management plans that are subject to change.

<u>Deferred Revenues</u> – Deferred revenues are those where asset recognition criteria have been met, but for which revenue recognition criteria have not.

<u>Grants and Other Intergovernmental Revenues</u> – Federal grants and assistance awards for all governmental type funds are recorded as intergovernmental revenue in accordance with the terms of the respective grants.

<u>Interfund Transfers</u> – During the course of normal operations, the County has numerous transactions between funds, including expenditures and transfers of resources to provide services, construct assets, and service debt. The accompanying financial statements generally reflect such transactions as operating transfers. The classification of amounts recorded as subsidies, advances, or equity contributions is determined by County management.

<u>Use of Estimates</u> – The preparation of financial statements in conformity with U.S. generally accepted accounting principles requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities and disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities at the date of the reporting period. Actual results could differ from those estimates.

NOTE 2 - STEWARDSHIP, COMPLIANCE AND ACCOUNTABILITY

<u>Budgetary Information</u> – Annual budgets are adopted on a basis consistent with U.S. generally accepted accounting principles.

<u>Budgets and Budgetary Control</u> – The County follows these procedures in establishing the budgetary data reflected in the financial statements:

- a. Each September, after receiving input from the individual departments, the Board of Commissioners prepares a proposed operating budget for the fiscal period commencing January 1st and lapses on December 31st. The operating budget includes proposed expenditures and the means of financing them.
- b. Public hearings are conducted to obtain taxpayer comments.
- c. Prior to January 1, the budget is legally enacted through a resolution passed by the Board of Commissioners.
- d. Budgetary control is exercised at the departmental level of the General Fund. Any revisions that alter the total expenditures of any department or fund (i.e., budget amendments) require approval by the Board of Commissioners. Such amendments are made in accordance with the procedures prescribed under Public Act 621 of 1978.
- e. The budget and approved appropriations lapse at the end of the fiscal year.
- f. The County does not record encumbrances in the accounting records during the year as normal practice and, therefore, no outstanding encumbrances exist at year end.

Budgeted amounts are as originally adopted or amended by the Board of Commissioners during the year. Individual amendments were not material in relation to the original appropriations which were amended. The modified accrual basis of accounting is used for budgetary purposes.

The General Fund revenue budget was adopted on the basis of activities or programs financed by the General Fund.

Michigan Public Act 621 of 1978 (the Budgeting Act) requires that budgets be adopted for Governmental Funds. U.S. generally accepted accounting principles require that the financial statements present budgetary comparisons for the Governmental Fund Types for which budgets were legally adopted. The original budget adopted for the General fund was modified throughout the year through various budget amendments.

The budget document presents information by fund, function, department and line items. The legal level of budgetary control adopted by the governing body is the department level.

NOTE 3 - DEPOSITS AND INVESTMENTS

At year end, the County's deposits and investments were reported in the basic financial statements in the following categories:

		Governmental Activities		Business-Type Activities		otal Primary Sovernment	Fiduciary Funds		Component Units	
Cash, Investments, and Equivalents - Unrestricted Cash, Investments, and Equivalents –	\$	1,688,419	\$	393,677	\$	2,082,096	\$	744,157	\$	5,421,778
Restricted		432,668				432,668				915,681
Total	<u>\$</u>	2,121,087	\$	393,677	\$	2,514,764	\$	744,157	\$	6,337,459

The breakdown between deposits and investments is as follows:

			mary ernment		iduciary Funds	_	Component Units
Bank Deposits (checaccounts, certificat Petty Cash and Cash Investments	es of deposit)	\$ 2	,314,616 930 199,218	\$	744,157	\$	6,336,719 740
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Total		<u>\$ 2</u>	<u>,514,764</u>	<u>\$</u>	744,157	<u>\$</u>	6,337,459
Investments:	Fair Value	Less Than	11	- 5	6 – 10	N	Iore Than 10
Commercial Paper	\$ 199,218	<u>\$</u> 199,	218 \$	<u>-</u>	\$	- \$	
Total Investments	<u>\$ 199,218</u>	<u>\$ 199,</u>	218 \$		\$	<u>-</u> \$	

Cash is restricted in the Governmental Activities in the amount of \$432,668 for payment of principal and interest on hospital bonds. Cash is restricted in the Component Units for the Helen Newberry Joy Hospital limited use.

Statutory Authority:

Michigan Law (Public Act 20 of 1943 as amended) authorizes the County to deposit and invest in one or more of the following:

a. Bond, securities, and other obligations of the United States or an agency or instrumentality of the United States.

NOTE 3 - DEPOSITS AND INVESTMENTS (Continued)

- b. Certificates of deposit, savings accounts, deposit accounts, or depository receipts of a financial institution that is eligible to be a depository of funds belonging to the State under a law or rule of this State or the United States.
- c. Commercial paper rated at the time of purchase within the two highest classifications established by not less than two standard rating services and matures not more than 270 days after the date of purchase.
- d. Repurchase agreements consisting of instruments listed in a.
- e. Banker's acceptance of United States banks.
- f. Obligations of this State or any of its political subdivisions that at the time of purchase are rated as investment grade by not less than one standard rating service.
- g. Mutual funds registered under the investment company act of 1940, Title I of Chapter 686, 54 Stat. 789, 15 U.S.C. 80a-1 to 80a-3 and 80a-4 to 80a-64, with the authority to purchase only investment vehicles that are legal for direct investment by a public corporation.
- h. Obligation described in a. through g. if purchased through an interlocal agreement under the urban cooperations act of 1967, 1967 (Ex Sess) PA 7, MCL 124.501 to 124.512.
- i. Investment pools organized under the surplus funds investment pool act, 1982 PA 367, 129.111 to 129.118.
- j. The investment pools organized under the local government investment pool act, 1985 PA 121, MCL 129.141 to 129.150.

These deposits are in various financial institutions in varying amounts. All accounts are in the name of the County and specific funds. They are recorded in County records at cost. Interest is recorded when the deposits mature or is credited to the applicable account.

Interest rate risk. The County does not have a formal investment policy that limits investment maturities as a means of managing its exposure to fair value losses arising from increasing interest rates.

Credit risk. State law limits investments in commercial paper, corporate bonds, and mutual bond funds to the top two ratings issued by nationally recognized statistical rating organizations. The County has no investment policy that would further limit its investment choices.

Custodial credit risk. Investment custodial credit risk, is the risk that in the event of the failure of the counterparty, the County will not be able to recover the value of its investments or securities that are in the possession of an outside party. Of the County's \$199,218 investments, \$199,218 are not in the name of the County, but in the name of the agent. Credit quality ratings of public money funds were not available from the financial institutions or are unrated.

NOTE 3 - DEPOSITS AND INVESTMENTS (Continued)

Custodial deposit credit risk. Custodial deposit credit risk is the risk that in the event of a bank failure, the County's deposits may not be returned. State law does not require and the County does not have a policy for deposit custodial credit risk. As of year end, \$2,372,626 of the County's bank balance of \$2,876,586 was exposed to credit risk because it was uninsured and uncollateralized.

As of year end, \$2,861,968 of the County's discretely comprised component units bank balance of \$6,089,549 was exposed to credit risk because it was uninsured and uncollateralized. \$0 was uninsured and collateralized by the pledging financial institution.

NOTE 4 - CAPITAL ASSETS

Capital asset activity for the primary government for the current year was as follows:

	Beginning Balances	<u>Increases</u>	Decreases	Ending Balances
Governmental Activities:				
Capital assets not being depreciated:				
Land	<u>\$ 1,595,595</u>	<u>\$</u> -	<u>\$ (21,653)</u>	<u>\$ 1,573,942</u>
Capital assets being depreciated:				
Buildings	3,266,000	=	=	3,266,000
Building improvements	16,850	37,202	=	54,052
Equipment	714,319	36,467	-	750,786
Furniture and fixtures	29,934	-	=	29,934
Vehicles	813,746	19,688	(5,000)	828,434
Land improvements	443,401	235,000	_	678,401
Subtotal	5,284,250	328,357	(5,000)	5,607,607
Less accumulated depreciation for:				
Buildings	(2,591,491)	(30,981)	-	(2,622,472)
Building improvements	(1,311)	(5,433)	-	(6,744)
Equipment	(402,407)	(88,366)	=	(490,773)
Furniture and fixtures	(29,934)	-	=	(29,934)
Vehicles	(572,802)	(74,478)	4,250	(643,030)
Land improvements	(22,257)	(29,560)	_	(51,817)
Subtotal	(3,620,202)	(228,818)	4,250	(3,844,770)
Net Capital Assets Being Depreciated	1,664,048	99,539	(750)	1,762,837
Governmental Activity Capital Assets - Net of Depreciation	\$ 3,259,643	\$ 99,539	<u>\$ (22,403)</u>	\$ 3,336,779

Depreciation expense was charged to programs of the primary government as follows:

Governmental Activities:		
General Government	\$	19,945
Public Safety		27,313
Public Works		86,967
Health and Welfare		72,217
Recreation and Culture		22,376
Total Governmental Activities	<u>\$</u>	228,818

Capital asset activity of the Luce County Road Commission for the current year was as follows:

	Beginning Balances	Additions	Decreases	Ending Balances
Governmental Activities:				
Capital Assets Not Being Depreciated				
Land	\$ 39,182	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 39,182
Land Improvements	117,709			117,709
Subtotal	156,891	_		156,891
Capital Assets Being Depreciated				
Land Improvements	38,460	-	-	38,460
Buildings	862,484	-	-	862,484
Road Equipment	4,347,756	43,593	(19,440)	
Shop Equipment	234,331	-	-	234,331
Office Equipment	44,197	-	-	44,197
Engineers' Equipment	19,390	-	-	19,390
Infrastructure - Bridge	1,023,420	-	-	1,023,420
Infrastructure – Roads	3,428,735	1,113,337		4,542,072
Subtotal	9,998,773	1,156,930	(19,440)	11,136,263
Less Accumulated Depreciation				
Land Improvements	(14,578)	(1,281)	-	(15,859)
Buildings	(296,117)	(29,168)	-	(325,285)
Road Equipment	(3,890,617)	(187,902)	19,440	(4,059,079)
Shop Equipment	(187,289)	(10,264)	-	(197,553)
Office Equipment	(39,841)	(1,600)	-	(41,441)
Engineers' Equipment	(19,366)	(24)	-	(19,390)
Infrastructure - Bridges	(51,949)	-	-	(51,949)
Infrastructure – Roads	(655,443)	(218,532)		(873,975)
Subtotal	(5,155,200)	(448,771)	19,440	(5,584,531)
Net Capital Assets Being Depreciated	4,843,573	708,159		5,551,732
Total Net Capital Assets	\$ 5,000,464	\$ 708,159	<u>\$</u>	\$ 5,708,623

Depreciation expense was charged to the following programs:

Net equipment Expense	
Direct Equipment	\$ 187,902
Indirect Equipment	32,664
Net Administrative Expenses	9,673
Infrastructure Depreciation Expense	 218,532
Total Depreciation Expense	\$ 448,771

Capital asset activity of the Luce-Mackinac-Alger-Schoolcraft District Health Department for the current year was as follows:

year was as follows.									
	Beginning Balances		<u>I</u> 1	ncreases	D e	ecreases	Ending Balances		
Governmental Activities:		_				_			
Capital assets being depreciated:									
Furniture and equipment	\$	266,765	\$	7,632	\$	-	\$	274,397	
Building improvements		168,635		6,528				175,163	
Subtotal		435,400		14,160		<u>-</u>		449,560	
Less accumulated depreciation for:									
Furniture and equipment		(249,354)		(10,807)		-		(260,161)	
Building improvements		(54,366)		(10,655)		-		(65,021)	
Subtotal	_	(303,720)		(21,462)		-		(325,182)	
Net Capital Assets Being Depreciated	\$	131,680	<u>\$</u>	(7,302)	<u>\$</u>	_	<u>\$</u>	124,378	
Depreciation Ex	xpense	:							
Health and W	elfare				\$	21,462			

Capital asset activity of the Economic Development Corporation for the current year was as follows:

Governmental Activities:		Beginning Balances		Increases		<u>Decreases</u>		Ending Balances
Capital assets being depreciated:								
Buildings	\$	635,082	\$	25,701	\$	-	\$	660,783
Equipment		6,600		-		-		6,600
Land improvements		96,500		_		_		96,500
Subtotal		738,182		25,701				763,883
Less accumulated depreciation for:								
Buildings		(86,441)		(21,455)		-		(107,896)
Equipment		(6,600)		=		-		(6,600)
Land improvements		(29,631)	_	(6,433)		<u>=</u>		(36,064)
Subtotal		(122,672))	_	(27,888)		<u>-</u>		(150,560)
Net Capital Assets Being Depreciated	\$	615,510	\$	(2,187)	\$	_	\$	613,323
Depreciation Expe	ense:							

Economic Development Corporation

27,888

Capital assets activity of the Luce County Housing Commission for the current year was as follows:

Business-type Activities:		Beginning Balances	<u>I</u>	ncreases	De	ecreases		Ending Balances
Capital assets being depreciated: Land and improvements Building improvements Equipment	\$	42,965 1,763,574 73,961	\$	- - 4,814	\$	(4,544) (4,609)	\$	42,965 1,759,030 74,166
Subtotal		1,880,500		4,814		(9,153)		1,876,161
Less accumulated depreciation: Accumulated depreciation		(1,285,072)		(59,177)		8,983		(1,335,266)
Net capital assets being depreciated	\$	595,428	\$	(54,363)	\$	(170)	\$	540,895
Depreciation Exper Public Housing	nse:				į	\$ 59,17	<u>'7</u>	

Capital assets activity of the Helen Newberry Joy Hospital for the current year was as follows:

Business-type Activities:	Beginning Balances	<u>Increases</u>	Retirements	Ending Balances
Capital assets being depreciated:				
Land improvements	\$ 467,736	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 467,736
Building	11,169,985	15,596	-	11,185,581
Equipment	9,571,583	531,399	<u>(476,700</u>)	9,626,282
Total	21,209,304	546,995	(476,700)	21,279,599
Less accumulated depreciation:				
Land improvements	(62,857)	(10,242)	-	(73,099)
Building	(4,152,490)	(542,721)	-	(4,695,211)
Equipment	(6,779,086)	(799,652)	476,700	(7,102,038)
Total accumulated				
depreciation	(10,994,433)	(1,352,615)	476,700	(11,870,348)
Net capital assets being depreciated	\$ 10,214,871	<u>\$ (805,620)</u>	<u>\$</u>	<u>\$ 9,409,251</u>

Depreciation Expense: Health and Welfare

\$ 1,352,615

NOTE 5 - INTERFUND RECEIVABLES, PAYABLES, AND TRANSFERS

The County of Luce reports interfund balances between many of its funds. Some of the balances are considered immaterial and are aggregated into a single column or row. The total of all balances agrees with the sum of interfund balances presented in the statements of net assets/balance sheet for governmental funds, proprietary funds, and fiduciary funds. Interfund transactions resulting in interfund Receivables and Payable are as follows:

DS			DUI					
OTHER FUNDS			General Fund	S	evenue haring leserve		All Others	 <u>Totals</u>
DUE FROM OTHER	Revenue Sharing Reserve Hospital Debt All Others	\$	115,759 - 29,055	\$	147,770 16,313	\$	- - 2,599	\$ 115,759 147,770 47,967
Ď	Total	<u>\$</u>	144,814	\$	164,083	\$	2,599	\$ 311,496

NOTE 5 - INTERFUND RECEIVABLES, PAYABLES, AND TRANSFERS (Continued)

All balances resulted from the time lag between the dates that (1) interfund goods and services are provided or reimbursable expenditures occur, (2) transactions are recorded in the accounting system, and (3) payments between funds are made.

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Z		 General Fund	_Ambulan	ce_	Revenue Sharing Reserve		Airport		Hospital Bond	Tax Levolving Reserve	nmajor vernmental	Nonmajor Enterprise		Total
TRANSFERS	General Fund	\$ -	\$	- :	\$ 115,759	\$	5,000	\$	153,253	\$ 60,000	\$ 19,000	\$ -	\$	353,012
Z	Tax Revolving Reserve	-		-	-		-		-	-	-	57,665		57,665
₩	Airport	10,863		-	-		-		-	-	-	-		10,863
<u> </u>	Nonmajor Governmental	128,104	64,9	01	-		-		-	2,577	16,229	-		211,811
	Nonmajor Enterprise	 681			<u> </u>				<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	 	<u> </u>		681
	Total	\$ 139,648	\$ 64,9	<u>01</u>	\$ 115,759	\$	5,000	\$	153,253	\$ 62,577	\$ 35,229	\$ 57,665	<u>\$</u>	634,032

Transfers are used to (1) move revenues from the fund that statute or budget requires to collect them to the fund that statute or budget requires to expend them, (2) moves receipts restricted to debt service from the funds collecting the receipts to the debt service fund as debt service payments become due, and (3) use unrestricted revenues collected in the general fund to finance various programs accounted for in other funds in accordance with budgetary authorizations.

NOTE 6 - LEASES

<u>Capital Leases</u> – The County leases vehicles and other equipment under capital leases with yearly lease payments ranging from \$2,920 to \$9,144 including interest rates ranging from 4.9% to 11%. The leases qualify as capital leases for accounting purposes and therefore have been recorded at the present value of future minimum lease payments as of the inception date.

The following is a schedule, by year, of future minimum payments required under the leases, together with their present value as of December 31, 2006:

2007	27,406
2008	9,483
2009	 6,993
Total minimum lease payments	43,882
Less: Amount representing interest	 (4,304)
Present value of minimum lease payments	\$ 39,578
Interest expense was charged to the following programs:	
Governmental Activities:	
Public Safety	\$ 1,622
Recreation and Culture	 2,493
Total Governmental Activities	\$ 4,115

The District Health Department currently leases space for four units under signed, noncancelable, lease agreements.

Future annual obligations of the four leases are summarized below:

		Premises												
	St. Ignace			Newberry		Munising	Manistique							
Year	Mack	inac County	Luce County		Alger County	Sch	oolcraft County							
2007	\$	27,219	\$	91,200	\$	61,440	\$	52,149						
2008	·	27,219	·	91,200		61,440	·	13,037						
2009		27,219		91,200		61,440		-						
2010		27,219		91,200		61,440		-						
2011		24,950		60,800		61,440		-						
2012-2015		-		-		245,760		-						
		his lease ends ug. 2011		This lease ends May 2011		This lease ends Sept. 2015		This lease ends Dec. 2007						

NOTE 6 - LEASES (Continued)

The Hospital is obligated under certain operating leases, primarily medical and equipment. Total rent expense under leases was \$267,027 for the year ended December 31, 2006.

In 2006, the Hospital committed to an option to lease approximately \$380,000 in additional equipment which would increase monthly lease payments by \$7,250. The option expires in March 2007, with the potential for an extension.

The following is a schedule of future minimum lease payments under operating leases that have initial or remaining lease terms in excess of one year:

Years Ending December 31	 Amount
2007	\$ 258,961
2008	258,961
2009	252,314
2010	 44,799
Total	\$ 815.035

NOTE 7 - LONG-TERM DEBT

The government issues bonds to provide for the acquisition and construction of major capital facilities. General obligation bonds are direct obligations and pledge the full faith and credit of the government. County contractual agreements and installment purchase agreements are also general obligations of the government.

Bond and contractual obligation activity can be summarized as follows:

	Interest Rate	Principal Matures		eginning Balance		Increases		Decreases		Ending Balance		Due Within One Year
Governmental Activities:			· <u>·</u>									_
Indirect County Obligations: Act 185 Bonds for DPW												
Sewer No. 1	5%	2016	\$	343,000	Φ		\$	30,000	\$	313,000	\$	31,000
Installment Loans:	370	2010	Ψ	343,000	Ψ	_	Ψ	30,000	Ψ	313,000	Ψ	31,000
Parks & Recreation	5%	2011		46,706		-		7,151		39,555		7,509
General Obligation Bonds:												
1997 Unlimited Tax	5.1%-7.6%	2006		190,000		-		190,000		-		-
Series 2002-B, Limited Tax,												
Capital Improvement Bonds	4.45%	2009		250,000			_	55,000		195,000		60,000
Total Governmental Activities			\$	829,706	\$		\$	282,151	\$	547,555	<u>\$</u>	98,509

Notes to Financial Statements December 31, 2006

NOTE 7 - LONG-TERM DEBT (Continued)

Interest expense was charged to the following programs:

Governmental Activities:	
Public Works	\$ 15,900
Health and Welfare	15,637
Recreation and Culture	 616
Total Governmental Activities	\$ 32,153

Interest Rate	Principal Matures			I	ncreases	_ <u>D</u>	ecreases		Ending Balance		Due Within One Year
Variable	2006	\$	180,166	\$	-	\$	180,166	\$	-	\$	-
Variable	2007		<u>-</u>		375,000		128,331		246,669		246,669
		\$	180.166	\$	375,000	\$	308.497	\$	246,669	\$	246,669
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^{*}Interest payments vary according to payment dates and interest rates. Because payment dates have not been prescheduled and interest is variable, outstanding interest is not determinable at this time.

Annual debt service requirements to maturity for the above obligations are as follows:

	Governmenta	l Activities
Year End December 31	<u>Principal</u>	Interest
2007	98,509	25,628
2008	103,884	21,032
2009	109,278	16,195
2010	39,692	11,116
2011	38,192	9,131
2012-2016	158,000	19,900
Total	<u>\$ 547,555</u>	<u>\$ 103,002</u>

Other Information on Long-Term Debt

The General Obligation Tax Notes are issued to finance the Delinquent Tax Revolving Funds for the purchase of delinquent real property taxes in accordance with the provisions of Sections 211.87b, 211.87c, and 211.87d of the 1979 Compiled Laws, as amended. The assets of the respective 100 percent Tax Payment Funds are pledged for the payment of principal and interest on these notes.

The County has irrevocably pledged its full faith and credit as collateral for the DPW Sewer No. 1 bonds issued in accordance with the provisions of Public Act 185 of 1957, as amended, to finance sewage system construction projects which are administered by the County of Luce Department of Public Works for local municipalities. Payments by the Village of Newberry, McMillan and Pentland Townships, to the County, in accordance with contractual agreements, provide the money required to meet the principal and interest on these bonds.

NOTE 7 - LONG-TERM DEBT (Continued)

The County has irrevocably pledged its full faith and credit as collateral for the County of Luce Building Authority Bonds, Series 1978 issued in accordance with the provisions of Public Act 31, of 1948, as amended, for the purpose of construction of the Senior Citizens Housing Facility for the Luce County Housing Commission. The Luce County Housing Commission leases the property from the Luce County Building Authority for the period which is the lesser of fifty years or until the present value of the minimum lease payments are paid.

The County has irrevocably pledged its full faith and credit as collateral for the County of Luce Building Authority Bonds, Series 1997 issued in accordance with the provisions of Public Act 31 of 1948, as amended, for the purpose of renovation of the Helen Newberry, Joy Hospital.

Compensated Absences

Under existing union contracts and County policies, all regular full-time employees are eligible for paid leave based on length of service. Accrued vacation benefits are earned in varying amounts depending on the number of years of service up to a maximum number of days depending on the department. Sick leave, which is applicable only to union employees, may be accumulated up to 90 days. Upon termination, up to 50% of the unused sick leave up to a maximum of 45 days may be paid. Current portions of accumulated sick and vacation pay are not material.

A summary of vested benefits payable at December 31, 2006 is as follows:

Vacation	\$	29,520
Sick Leave		48,580
TOTALS	<u>\$</u>	78,100

ROAD COMMISSION

The following is a summary of pertinent information concerning the County Road Commission's long-term debt.

	_	Balances 01/01/06	 lditions ductions)	Balances 12/31/06		
Vested Employee Benefits Payable Vacation Benefits Sick Leave Benefits	\$	69,538 144,312	\$ 736 4,582	\$	70,274 148,894	
Total	\$	213,850	\$ 5,318	\$	219,168	

NOTE 7 - LONG-TERM DEBT (Continued)

Vacation Benefits

Road Commission employment policies provide for vacation benefits to be earned in varying amounts depending on the employee's years of service. New employees are eligible for vacation benefits after 1 year of service, and vacation benefits accrue on a biweekly pay period basis thereafter. Employees may accumulate up to a maximum of 2 years vacation benefits.

Sick Leave Benefits

Road Commission employment policies provide for sick leave benefits to be earned at the rate of 1 day per month, with an unlimited accumulation. Employees hired prior to July 1, 1981, upon voluntary termination with ten working days notice, retirement, or death of an employee in the service of the Road Commission, shall be paid for 100% of any accumulated unused sick leave up to a maximum of 160 days.

Employees hired after July 1, 1981 will receive payment for ½ of their unused accumulated sick leave up to a maximum of 60 days, upon retirement only.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT

The District Health Department has an accrued liability for accumulated vested vacation benefits payable and a contingent liability for accumulated sick leave benefits of its employees. As of September 30, 2006, the accumulated vacation and sick leave benefits were as follows:

]	Account Balance 0/01/05	A	dditions	De	letions	Account Balance 09/30/06		
Vacation Sick	\$	152,559 98,662	\$	15,967 <u>-</u>	\$	- 236	\$	168,526 98,426	
TOTAL	\$	251,221	\$	15,967	\$	236	\$	266,952	

<u>Vacation and Sick Leave Policy</u> - Vacations are earned in varying amounts depending on the number of years of service and may be accumulated up to a maximum of 30 days.

Sick leave is paid at fifty percent of the employee's unused sick leave, up to a maximum of 480 hours, upon retirement, separation, or death after ten years of service. Payment shall be made at the employee's current rate of pay.

249,933

LONG-TERM DEBT (Continued) NOTE 7 -

LUCE COUNTY HOUSING COMMISSION

During the year ended December 31, 2006, the following changes occurred in long-term liabilities:

			eginning Balance	A	Additions	_	I	Deletions		Ending Balance		ne Within One Year
	Bonds Vested sick pay	\$	360,000 6,493	\$		- <u>-</u>	\$	(115,000) (1,560)	\$	245,000 4,933	\$	125,000
	Totals	\$	366,493	<u>\$</u>		<u>-</u>	\$	(116,560)	\$	249,933	<u>\$</u>	125,000
Lon	Long-term obligations at December 31, 2006 are comprised of the following amounts:											
1. 1978 Capital Building Bonds due in annual installments of \$10,000 to \$100,000 through May 1, 2007 with interest at 7.25%										\$	100,000	
2. 2002 Rehabilitation Bonds due in annual installments of \$5,000 to \$50,000 through July 1, 2010 with interest at 4.45%										145,000 245,000		
3.	Vested sick pay											4,933

The annual requirements to amortize long-term obligations outstanding as of December 31, 2006 are as follows:

Year Ended	Bond Is	ssues	Vested	
December 31	<u>Principal</u>	Interest	Sick Pay	Total
2007	125,000	10,077	-	135,077
2008	30,000	5,340	-	35,340
2009	40,000	4,006	-	44,006
2010	50,000	2,224	4,933	57,157
Total	<u>\$ 245,000</u>	<u>\$ 21,647</u>	<u>\$ 4,933</u>	<u>\$ 271,580</u>

Interest charged to expenses totaled \$16,453.

Total long-term obligations

NOTE 7 - LONG-TERM DEBT (Continued)

HELEN NEWBERRY JOY HOSPITAL

Long-term liability activity for the year ended December 31, 2006 was as follows:

	 Beginning Balance	Current Year dditions	·	Current Year Deletions	Ending Balance	Dι	Amounts ue Within One Year
Long-term debt payable: Series 2001A Series 2001B	\$ 5,102,052 162,013	\$	-	\$ (180,805) (92,020)	\$ 4,921,247 69,993	\$	206,365 69,993
Equipment note	 957,387			 (237,271)	 720,116		247,451
Total long-term debt	\$ 6,221,452	\$	<u> </u>	\$ (510,096)	\$ 5,711,356	\$	523,809

The bonds payable are summarized as follows:

- Revenue bonds payable to a financial institution, Healthcare Facilities Series 2001A Bond Agreement, with monthly payment ranging from \$16,000 to \$39,400 plus interest, with a portion fixed at a rate of 5.61 percent and a portion variable that was 6.18 percent at December 31, 2006. These bonds are collateralized by substantially all assets of the Hospital.
- Revenue bond payable to a financial institution, Healthcare Facilities Series 2001B Bond Agreement, with monthly payments ranging from \$8,800 to \$9,500 plus interest at a variable rate, which was 6.18 percent at December 31, 2006. These bonds are collateralized by substantially all assets of the Hospital.
- Note payable to a financial institution, related to acquisition of equipment, with monthly payments ranging from \$12,600 to \$22,700, plus interest at 4.2 percent. The note payable is collateralized by substantially all assets of the Hospital.

The following is a schedule by years of principal and interest as of December 31, 2006:

	Long-Term Debt							
	Principal	Interest						
\$	523,809	\$ 299,280						
	476,420	276,094						
	445,297	252,422						
	244,094	234,756						
	258,148	220,705						
	1,531,495	862,756						
	2,026,054	368,196						
	206,039	3,870						
<u>\$</u>	5,711,356	\$ 2,518,079						
	\$ \$	Principal \$ 523,809 476,420 445,297 244,094 258,148 1,531,495 2,026,054 206,039						

Notes to Financial Statements December 31, 2006

NOTE 8 - RISK MANAGEMENT

<u>Risk Management</u> – The government is exposed to various risks of loss related to torts; theft of, damage to, and destruction of assets; errors and omissions; injuries to employees; and natural disasters. The government was unable to obtain general liability insurance at a cost it considered to be economically justifiable. The County joined together with other governments and created a public entity risk pool currently operating as a common risk management and insurance program. The government pays an annual premium to the pool for its vehicle, property, and general liability insurance coverage. The agreement provides that the pool will be self-sustaining through member premiums and will reinsure through commercial companies for claims in excess of \$75,000 for each insured event.

The government continues to carry commercial insurance for all other risks of loss. Settled claims resulting from these risks have not exceeded commercial insurance coverage in any of the past three fiscal years.

The pooling agreement allows for the pool to make additional assessments to make the pool self-sustaining. The government is unable to provide an estimate of the amounts of additional assessments.

NOTE 9 - CONTINGENT LIABILITIES

The County and component units have received significant financial assistance from state and federal agencies in the form of various grants. The disbursement of funds received under these programs generally requires compliance with terms and conditions specified in the grant agreement and is subject to audit by the grantor agency. Any disallowed claims resulting from such audits could become a liability of the applicable fund of the County. However, in the opinion of management, any such disallowed claims will not have a material effect on any of the financial statements included herein or on the overall financial position of the County at December 31, 2006.

LMAS District Health Department:

<u>Medicare</u> - District Health services rendered to Medicare program beneficiaries are paid at prospectively determined rates per visit. Certain District Health services are paid based on a cost reimbursement methodology. The Health Department reports such activity through the submission of its annual cost reports which are subject to audit by the Medicare fiscal intermediary. The Health Department's classification of clients under the Medicare program and the appropriateness of their admission and visits are subject to a review by Medicare.

Economic Development Corporation:

The Luce County Economic Development Corporation (EDC) is a guarantor for a local business loan with a local bank. The agreement provides that the EDC will guarantee payments on the loan agreement. The bank may agree to release the guarantee upon the borrower reaching a principal balance of \$100,000. The outstanding balance of the loan at December 31, 2006 is \$250,000.

Notes to Financial Statements December 31, 2006

NOTE 10 - EMPLOYEE RETIREMENT AND BENEFIT SYSTEMS

GENERAL GOVERNMENT AND HOUSING

<u>Description of Plan and Plan Assets</u> - The County is in an agent multiple-employer defined benefit pension plan with the Municipal Employees' Retirement System (MERS). The system provides the following provisions: normal retirement, deferred retirement and service retirement to plan members and their beneficiaries. The service requirement is computed using credited service at the time of termination of membership multiplied by the sum of 2.0 percent times the final average compensation (FAC). The most recent period of which actuarial data was available was for year ended December 31, 2005.

MERS issues a publicly available financial report that includes financial statements and required supplementary information for the system. That report may be obtained by writing to the MERS at 1134 Municipal Way, Lansing, Michigan 48917.

<u>Funding Policy</u> - The obligation to contribute to and maintain the system for these employees was established by negotiation with the County's competitive bargaining unit and personnel policy, which require employees to contribute to the plan. The County is required to contribute at an actuarially determined rate.

The contribution rate as a percentage of payroll at December 31, 2005 is as follows:

General	20.97%
Housing Commission	12.66%

Annual Pension Cost – During the year ended December 31, 2006, the County's contributions totaling \$201,046 were made in accordance with the contribution requirement determined by an actuarial valuation of the plan as of December 31, 2004. The employer contribution rate has been determined based on the entry age normal funding method. Under the entry age normal cost funding method, the total employer contribution is comprised of the normal cost plus the level annual percentage of payroll payment required to normal cost is, for each employee, the level percentage of payroll contribution (from entry age to retirement) required to accumulate sufficient assets at the member's retirement to pay for his projected benefit. Significant actuarial assumptions used include a long-term investment yield rate of 8 percent and annual salary increases of 4.5 percent based on an age-related scale to reflect merit, longevity, and promotional salary increases. The unfunded actuarial liability is amortized as a level percent of payroll on a closed basis. The remaining amortization period is 30 years.

NOTE 10 - EMPLOYEE RETIREMENT AND BENEFIT SYSTEMS (Continued)

Three year trend information as of December 31 follows:

		2003	2004	2005
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Actuarial Value of Assets	\$	1,972,826 \$	2,131,543 \$	2,296,859
Actuarial Accrued Liability		3,071,468	3,343,489	4,275,499
Unfunded AAL		1,098,642	1,211,946	1,978,640
Funded Ratio		64%	64%	54%
Covered Payroll		907,429	991,194	974,952
UAAL as a Percentage of				
Covered Payroll		121%	122%	203%

	Annual	Percentage	Net
]	Pension	of APC	Pension
_Cc	ost (APC)	Contributed	<u>Obligation</u>
			_
\$	146,863	100%	0
	154,284	100%	0
	201.046	100%	0
		154,284	Pension of APC Cost (APC) Contributed \$ 146,863 100%

ROAD COMMISSION

Defined Benefit Pension Plan (Michigan Municipal Employees' Retirement System)

<u>Plan Description</u> – The Luce County Road Commission participates in the Michigan Municipal Employees' Retirement System (MERS), an agent multiple-employer defined benefit pension plan that covers all employees of the Local Government Unit. The system provides retirement, disability and death benefits to plan members and their beneficiaries. MERS issues a publicly available financial report that includes financial statements and required supplementary information for the system. That report may be obtained by writing to the System at: 1134 Municipal Way, Lansing, Michigan.

<u>Funding Policy</u> – The obligation to contribute and maintain the system for these employees was established by negotiation with the Luce County Road Commission's competitive bargaining units and requires a contribution based on gross wages by County Road Commission only.

The obligation to contribute to and maintain the system for these employees was established by negotiation with the Road Commission's competitive bargaining unit and personnel policy, which does not require employees to contribute to the plan. The Road Commission is required to contribute at actuarially determined rates; the current rates were 16.62% for the engineer/manager and 22.27% for general employees at December 31, 2005.

NOTE 10 - EMPLOYEE RETIREMENT AND BENEFIT SYSTEMS (Continued)

<u>Annual Pension Costs</u> – For year ended 2006, the Luce County Road Commission's pension cost of \$192,468 for the plan was equal to the required and actual contribution. The annual required contribution was determined as part of an actuarial valuation as December 31, 2004, using the age normal cost method. Significant actuarial assumptions used include: (i) a 8% investment rate of return; (ii) projected salary increases of 4.5 percent per year. Both determined using techniques that smooth the effects of short-term volatility over a four-year period. The unfunded actuarial liability is being amortized as a level percent of payroll on a closed basis. The remaining amortization period is 30 years.

Three year trend information as of December 31 follows:

		2003	2004	2005
Actuarial Value of Assets	\$	3,896,539 \$	4,013,444 \$	4,120,682
Actuarial Accrued Liability	Ψ	6,032,626	6,331,712	6,728,902
Unfunded AAL		2,136,087	2,318,268	2,608,220
Funded Ratio		65%	63%	61%
Covered Payroll		868,162	860,551	840,471
UAAL as a Percentage of				
Covered Payroll		246%	269%	310%

Year		Annual	Percentage	Net
Ended	I	Pension	of APC	Pension
Dec 31	Co	ost (APC)	Contributed	<u>Obligation</u>
2003	\$	182,261	100%	0
2004		172,847	100%	0
2005		192,468	100%	0

LMAS DISTRICT HEALTH DEPARTMENT

<u>Plan Description</u> - The LMAS District Health Department contributes to the Michigan Municipal Employees Retirement System ("System"), an agent multiple-employer public employee retirement system that acts as a common investment and administrative agent for all Michigan municipal employees.

MERS issues a publicly available financial report that includes financial statements and required supplementary information for the system. That report may be obtained by writing to the MERS at 1134 Municipal Way, Lansing, Michigan 48917-9755.

Notes to Financial Statements December 31, 2006

NOTE 10 - EMPLOYEE RETIREMENT AND BENEFIT SYSTEMS (Continued)

All full-time employees of the LMAS District Health Department are eligible to participate in the System. Benefits vest after six years of service. LMAS employees listed after February 1997 who retire at or after age 60 with 10 years of credited service are entitled to an annual retirement benefit, payable monthly for life, in an amount equal to the sum of 1.7 percent times the member's 5 year final average compensation. The System also provides death and disability benefits. These benefit provisions and all other requirements are established by State statute and County ordinance.

Active employees with ten or more years of service, who become disabled, receive an amount equal to the same as would be received under the normal retirement requirements, except that the reduction for retirement before age 60 is not applied. If the disability is from service connected causes, the amount of retirement allowance shall be computed as if the member had acquired exactly 10 years of credited service, if the actually acquired credited service is less than 10 years.

If an active employee dies, the beneficiary receives a retirement allowance computed in the same manner as a service retirement allowance, but reduced to reflect an Option II (100% joint and survivor) election. An employee's surviving spouse will receive a retirement allowance equal to 85% of the deceased members or deceased vested former members accrued retirement allowance computed in the same manner as a service retirement allowance, based on service and final average compensation at time of death.

The most recent period of which actuarial data was available was for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2005.

<u>Funding Policy</u> - The obligation to contribute to and maintain the system for these employees was established by negotiation with the District Health Department's personnel policy, which requires employees to contribute -0- percent to the plan. The District Health Department is required to contribute at an actuarially determined rate. The contribution rate as a percentage of payroll at December 31, 2005 is as follows:

General 2.37% Employee 2/97 7.45%

Annual Pension Cost – During the year ended September 30, 2006, the District Health Department's contributions totaling \$173,810 were made in accordance with the contribution requirement determined by an actuarial valuation of the plan as of December 31, 2004. The employer contribution rate has been determined based on the entry age normal funding method. Under the entry age normal cost funding method, the total employer contribution is comprised of the normal cost plus the level annual percentage of payroll payment required to amortize the unfunded actuarial accrued liability over 30 years. The employer normal cost is, for each employee, the level percentage of payroll payment required to amortize the unfunded actuarial accrued liability over 30 years. The employer normal cost is, for each employee, the level percentage of payroll contribution (from entry age to retirement) required to accumulate sufficient assets at the members retirement to pay for his projected benefit. Significant actuarial assumptions used include a long-term investment yield rate of 8 percent and annual salary increases of 4.5 percent based on an age-related scale to reflect merit, longevity, and promotional salary increases.

NOTE 10 - EMPLOYEE RETIREMENT AND BENEFIT SYSTEMS (Continued)

Three year trend information as of December 31 is as follows:

	 2003	2004	2005
Actuarial Value of Assets	\$ 6,113,081 \$	6,387,158 \$	6,716,767
Actuarial Accrued Liability	5,823,673	6,004,879	6,547,577
Unfunded AAL	(289,408)	(382,279)	(169,190)
Funded Ratio	105%	106%	103%
Covered Payroll	2,344,678	2,481,348	2,705,760
UAAL as a Percentage of			
Covered Payroll	0%	0%	0%

Year	Annual	Percentage	Net
Ended	Pension	of APC	Pension
Dec 31	Cost (APC)	Contributed	<u>Obligation</u>
2004	43,144	100%	0
2005	125,648	100%	0
2006	173,810	100%	0

HELEN NEWBERRY JOY HOSPITAL

<u>Plan Description</u> – The Hospital sponsors both a defined benefit plan and a defined contribution plan. The Hospital participates in the Michigan Municipal Employees Retirement System (MMERS), and agent multiple-employer defined benefit pension plan that covers qualifying full-time employees of the Hospital who did not migrate to the defined contribution plan. The system provides retirement, disability, and death benefits to plan members and their beneficiaries. MMERS issues a publicly available financial report that includes financial statements and required supplementary information for the system. That report may be obtained by writing to the MMERS at 1134 Municipal Way, Lansing Michigan, 48917.

<u>Funding Policy</u> – Benefit provisions of the MMERS, and employer and employee obligations to contribute, are outlined in Act No. 47 of the Public Acts of 1984, as amended. Pension expense consists of normal costs of the plan and amortization of prior service cost over a 40-year period, net of amortization of investment gains over a 10-year period.

<u>Annual Pension Cost</u> – The Hospital's contributions to the plan amounted to \$330,486, \$331,457, and \$306,036 in 2006, 2005 and 2004, respectively. The actuarially determined contribution requirements have been met based on actuarial valuations performed at December 31, 2005.

NOTE 10 - EMPLOYEE RETIREMENT AND BENEFIT SYSTEMS (Continued)

Three year trend information as of December 31 is as follows:

<u> </u>	2003		2004		2005
Actuarial Value of Assets \$	9,161,523	\$	9,669,849	\$	10,196,660
Actuarial Accrued Liability (entry age)	11,230,615	Ψ	11,483,243	Ψ	12,066,198
Unfunded Actuarial Accrued Liability	, ,		, ,		, ,
(UAAL)	2,069,092		1,813,394		1,869,538
Funded Ratio	82%		84%		85%
Covered Payroll	3,031,204		2,984,024		2,883,499
UAAL as a Percentage of					
Covered Payroll	68%		61%		65%

Year		Annual	Percentage	Net
Ended]	Pension	of APC	Pension
Dec 31	Co	ost (APC)	Contributed	<u>Obligation</u>
				-
2004	\$	306,036	100%	0
2005		331,457	100%	0
2006		330,486	100%	0

<u>Defined Contribution Plan</u> – The Hospital sponsors a defined contribution plan covering all employees hired after June 1, 2001, and all other employees who elected to change from the defined benefit plan. Participating employees in this plan must contribute 2 percent of their gross earnings and the Hospital contributes 7 percent of gross earning for participants. The Hospital's contribution totaled \$503,568 for the year ended December 31, 2006.

NOTE 11 - FUND BALANCE/RETAINED EARNINGS

Reservations

Fund Balance reservations are summarized as follows:

Special Revenue Funds

Revenue Sharing Reserve – reserved for funds that are limited to amounts previously reported as state revenue sharing distributed annually, which can be used to fund governmental operations.

515,445

Total Special Revenue Funds

\$ 515,445

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NOTE 11 - FUND BALANCE/RETAINED EARNINGS (Continued)

Debt Service Funds

Hospital Bond Debt Service – reserved for payment of principal and interest on hospital bonds

484,898

Total Debt Service Funds

484,898

Designations

Fund balance designations, all of which are designations for subsequent years' expenditures, are summarized as follows:

Capital Project Funds

Crisp Point Lighthouse \$ 23,736

Total Capital Project Funds <u>\$ 23,736</u>

NOTE 12 - INTERLOCAL AGREEMENT – REVOLVING LOAN FUND

The Luce County EDC and McMillan Township are parties to an interlocal agreement to administer a revolving loan fund and grant program. The loans (or grants) are issued to qualified local businesses to promote economic development in the Luce County area. McMillan Township pays the Luce County EDC an annual fee to handle the administrative duties of the revolving loan fund such as loan processing, maintaining loan files, and payment processing. The agreement provides that all grant or loan applications must be presented to the EDC Board for review with final approval by both the EDC and Township Boards. The agreement also allows either board to approve a loan rejected by the other, provided there are sufficient funds in that government's control to finance the entire project.

Pursuant to this agreement, the cash and loan balances are jointly held by the EDC and the Township. The balances are considered "reuse" monies according to the terms of the original grant agreements from the U.S. Department of Commerce which are now fully closed out. A summary of the activity of the revolving loan fund for the year ended December 31, 2006 is as follows:

Balance, January 1	\$ 1,622,422
Loans granted during period Less: Repayments	 151,618 (187,157)
Subtotal	1,586,883
Less: allowance for loan losses	 (174,557)
Balance, December 31	\$ 1,412,326

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NOTE 13 - POST EMPLOYMENT BENEFITS

Component Unit – Road Commission

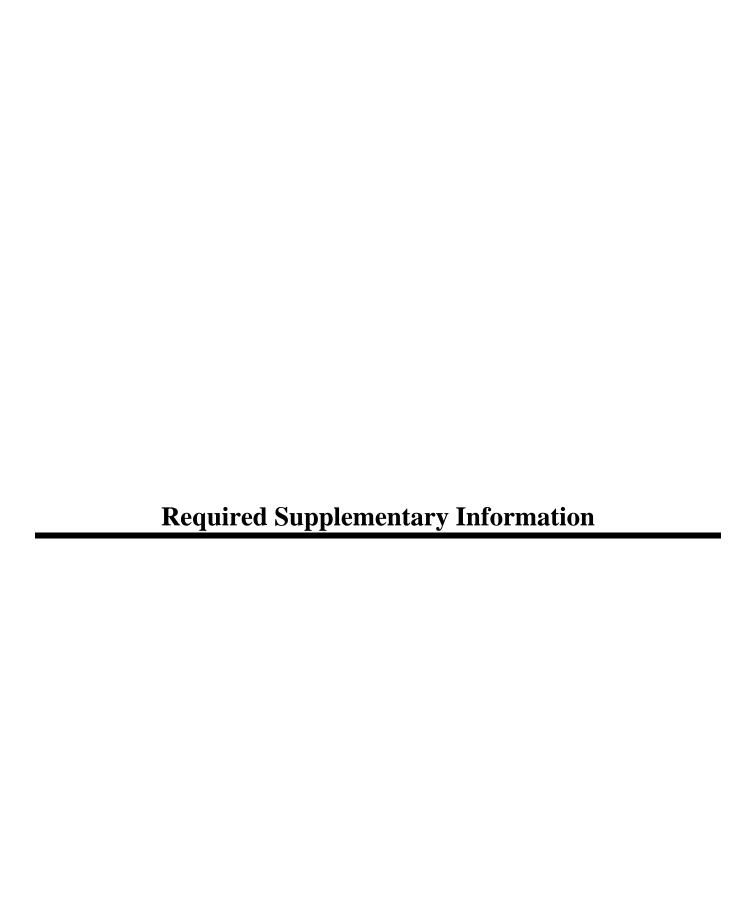
In addition to the pension described in Note 10, the Luce County Road Commission provides postemployment health care and cancer insurance benefits to all retired employees and/or their spouse and life insurance benefits for the retiree only. The benefits are provided in accordance with Article 34 (a), (b), and (c) of the union agreement, which includes the provision that upon a retiree and/or spouse's eligibility for Medicare, the Road Commission agrees to pay for the supplemental health insurance coverage for both.

For employees hired prior to September 1, 1998, the Road Commission agrees to pay the premium for each employee and spouse at time of retirement. Upon eligibility for Medicare, the Employer agrees to pay for Blue Cross/Blue Shield supplemental coverage for both the retiree and his spouse.

For all employees hired after September 1, 1998, the Road Commission agrees to pay 4% of the premium for each employee at time of retirement for each year of service said employee has spent with the Road Commission. Said employee may elect to have coverage provided to his spouse at the employee's expense.

In order for an employee to be eligible to health care benefits at retirement, the employee must retire from active service with the Road Commission at age 60 with 10 years of service or at age 55 with 25 years of service.

During September 2006, the Road Commission amended its post-employment benefit plan by providing a lump sum payment to each retiree upon attainment of age 65. Twenty two retirees qualified for this benefit amounting to \$80,000. Additionally, 6 retirees and spouses continue to be eligible for continuing benefits between the ages of 55 and 65 which amounted to \$77,872. Total costs of provided benefits for all 29 retirees through August 2006 was \$179,314.



Required Supplementary Information Budgetary Comparison Schedule General Fund For the Year Ended December 31, 2006

Variance with
Final Budget
Positive

		Budgeted Amounts		Final Budget - Positive	
DEVENIUM	Original	Final	Actual Amounts	(Negative)	
REVENUES: Taxes	\$ 1,200,172	\$ 1,087,421	\$ 1,202,700	\$ 115,279	
Licenses & Permits	17,749	13,190	11,014	(2,176)	
Federal Sources	120,384	107,022	11,909	4,887	
State Sources	101,321	105,773	105,773	4,007	
Local Sources	20,323	20,244	20,244	-	
Charges for Services	260,492	263,060	250,286	(12,774)	
Interest & Rentals	27,400	54,437	54,437	(12,774)	
Fines & Forfeitures	5,305	15,454	15,454	_	
Other Revenue	5,303 744	2,583	15,838	13,255	
Other Revenue		2,383	13,030	13,233	
TOTAL REVENUES	1,753,890	1,669,184	1,787,655	118,471	
EXPENDITURES:					
Legislative:					
Board of Commissioners	54,277	55,213	55,212	1	
Judicial:					
Circuit Court	62,882	58,421	58,417	4	
District Court	179,317	167,590	167,586	4	
Friend of the Court	109,985	118,118	118,119	(1)	
Jury Commission	2,161	2,283	2,282	1	
Probate Court	62,096	62,785	62,782	3	
Juvenile Court	56,072	69,868	69,868	-	
Court Appointed Appellate Attorney	59,500	33,454	33,452	2	
Total Judicial	532,013	512,519	512,506	13	
General Government:					
Elections	9,878	9,848	9,848	-	
Clerk/Register of Deeds	176,951	185,227	185,229	(2)	
Equalization	93,051	98,390	98,390	-	
Prosecuting Attorney	103,170	100,255	99,845	410	
Treasurer	93,067	91,921	91,920	1	
Computer	20,000	21,072	21,074	(2)	
Buildings & Grounds	122,700	172,821	170,633	2,188	
Record Copying	1,800	1,844	1,844		
Total General Government	620,617	681,378	678,783	2,595	

Required Supplementary Information Budgetary Comparison Schedule General Fund For the Year Ended December 31, 2006

				Variance with Final Budget -
		l Amounts		Positive
DIF CC.	Original	Final	Actual Amounts	(Negative)
Public Safety: Sheriff	149,566	167,880	160 621	(1.751)
			169,631	(1,751) 3,516
Liquor Law Enforcement	3,641	3,516	41 242	
Zoning Commission	46,543	36,414	41,342	(4,928)
Jail	155,817 2,300	168,527	168,527	-
Building/Housing Commission	2,300	2,667	2,667	
Total Public Safety	357,867	379,004	382,167	(3,163)
Health & Welfare:				
Medical Examiner	6,000	11,502	11,503	(1)
Total Health & Welfare	6,000	11,502	11,503	(1)
Other Expenditures:				
Appropriations	69,606	81,795	89,985	(8,190)
Employee Benefits	2,800	2,575	2,574	1
Audit	30,580	34,779	34,779	-
Insurance & Bonds	62,104	44,090	61,414	(17,324)
Postage	4,576	2,362	2,362	-
Contingencies	59,719	50	50	
Total Other Expenditures	229,385	165,651	191,164	(25,513)
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	1,800,159	1,805,267	1,831,335	(26,068)
EXCESS OF REVENUES OVER EXPENDITURES	(46,269)	(136,083)	(43,680)	92,403
OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES):				
Operating Transfers In	134,647	353,012	353,012	-
Operating Transfers Out	(88,378)	(143,883)	(139,648)	4,235
EXCESS (DEFICIENCY) OF REVENUES AND OTHER FINANCING SOURCES OVER EXPENDITURES AND OTHER				
FINANCING SOURCES OVER EAFENDITURES AND OTHER FINANCING USES	\$ -	\$ 73,046	169,684	\$ 96,638
FUND BALANCE, JANUARY 1			511,112	
FUND BALANCE, DECEMBER 31			\$ 680,796	

Required Supplementary Information Budgetary Comparison Schedule Ambulance Fund For the Year Ended December 31, 2006

		Budgeted	Amou	nts			Varian Final B Pos	
		Original		Final	Actu	al Amounts	(Neg	ative)
REVENUES:	-							
Taxes	\$	160,409	\$	157,795	\$	157,795	\$	-
Charges for Services		210,000		240,199		240,199		-
Interest & Rentals		7,889		14,202		14,202		-
Other Revenue		500		1,551		1,551		
TOTAL REVENUES		378,798		413,747		413,747		
EXPENDITURES:								
Health and Welfare		342,573		293,584		293,584		
TOTAL EXPENDITURES		342,573		293,584		293,584		
EXCESS OF REVENUES OVER EXPENDITURES		36,225		120,163		120,163		-
OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES): Operating Transfers Out		(64,901)		(64,901)		(64,901)		<u>-</u>
EXCESS (DEFICIENCY) OF REVENUES AND OTHER FINANCING SOURCES OVER EXPENDITURES AND OTHER								
FINANCING USES	\$	(28,676)	\$	55,262		55,262	\$	-
FUND BALANCE, JANUARY 1						669,204		
FUND BALANCE, DECEMBER 31					\$	724,466		

Required Supplementary Information Budgetary Comparison Schedule Revenue Sharing Reserve Fund For the Year Ended December 31, 2006

		Budgeted Original	Amou	nts Final	Actu	al Amounts	Variance with Final Budget - Positive (Negative)
REVENUES:							
Taxes	\$	271,250	\$	271,250	\$	271,250	\$ -
TOTAL REVENUES		271,250		271,250		271,250	<u> </u>
OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES):							
Operating Transfers Out		(115,647)		(115,759)		(115,759)	
EXCESS (DEFICIENCY) OF REVENUES AND OTHER FINANCING SOURCES OVER EXPENDITURES AND OTHER	¢	155 (02	¢	155 401		155 401	¢
FINANCING USES	2	155,603	2	155,491		155,491	<u> </u>
FUND BALANCE, JANUARY 1						359,954	
FUND BALANCE, DECEMBER 31					\$	515,445	

Required Supplementary Information Budgetary Comparison Schedule Airport Fund For the Year Ended December 31, 2006

		Budgeted	l Amou	unts			Fina	ance with Budget - ositive
		Original Original		Final	Actu	al Amounts	(N	egative)
REVENUES:	-					,		
Taxes	\$	77,761	\$	76,475	\$	76,475	\$	-
Federal Sources		188,000		188,000		188,000		-
State Sources		41,125		41,125		41,125		-
Local Sources		5,875		5,875		5,875		-
Charges for Services		30,950		53,622		53,622		-
Interest & Rentals		940		3,060		3,060		-
Other Revenue				2,714		7,714		5,000
TOTAL REVENUES		344,651		370,871		375,871		5,000
EXPENDITURES:								
Public Works		104,727		128,114		128,964		(850)
Capital Outlay		235,000		235,000		235,000		-
TOTAL EXPENDITURES		339,727		363,114		363,964		(850)
EXCESS OF REVENUES (UNDER) OVER EXPENDITURES		4,924		7,757		11,907		4,150
OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES):								
Operating Transfers In		-		10,863		10,863		-
Operating Transfers Out				(5,000)		(5,000)		
EXCESS (DEFICIENCY) OF REVENUES AND OTHER								
FINANCING SOURCES OVER EXPENDITURES AND OTHER								
FINANCING USES	\$	4,924	\$	13,620		17,770	\$	4,150
FUND BALANCE, JANUARY 1						7,410		
FUND BALANCE, DECEMBER 31					\$	25,180		



County of Luce, Michigan

	Special Revenue Funds																	
		amily inseling	ORV Enforcement Grant		Snowmobile Enforcement Grant		Parks and Recreation		Luce County Park & Campground		Extension		Friend of the Court		Tax Revolving Reserve			Animal Control
ASSETS:								_										
Cash & Investments - Unrestricted	\$	605	\$	3,735	\$	3,543	\$	16,620	\$	10,052	\$	18,133	\$	27,290	\$	5,514	\$	20,275
Receivables:																		
Accounts		-		-		-		-		-		-		-		-		-
Taxes		-		-		-		75,997		-		75,997		-		-		63,258
Due from Other Funds		-		-		-		-		-		-		-		-		-
Due from Governmental Units						3,050							_	543				
TOTAL ASSETS	\$	605	\$	3,735	\$	6,593	\$	92,617	\$	10,052	\$	94,130	\$	27,833	\$	5,514	\$	83,533
LIABILITIES:																		
Due to Other Funds	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-
Accounts Payable		-		-		1,547		955		28		1,097		-		-		1,350
Accrued Liabilities		-		-		135		904		-		898		-		-		1,524
Deferred Revenue						-		75,997		-		75,997		-			-	63,258
TOTAL LIABILITIES						1,682		77,856		28		77,992						66,132
FUND BALANCES: Unreserved:																		
Designated		-		-		-		-		-		-		-		-		-
Undesignated		605		3,735		4,911		14,761		10,024		16,138		27,833		5,514		17,401
TOTAL FUND BALANCES		605		3,735		4,911		14,761		10,024		16,138		27,833		5,514		17,401
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCES	\$	605	\$	3,735	\$	6,593	\$	92,617	\$	10,052	\$	94,130	\$	27,833	\$	5,514	\$	83,533

County of Luce, Michigan

							S	pecial	Revenue Fu	nds						
	(Luce County aster Plan	C	ichigan Coastal mt Grant	emonu- entation	O	Register of Deeds		nergency nagement		h Alcohol orcement	Finger Syst		Cor	ocal rections fficers raining	911
ASSETS:																
Cash & Investments - Unrestricted	\$	5,411	\$	1,875	\$ 71	\$	11,917	\$	7,073	\$	325	\$	-	\$	2,674	\$ 196,053
Receivables:																
Accounts		-		-	-		-		-		-		-		-	26,634
Taxes		-		-	-		-		-		-		-		-	-
Due from Other Funds		-		-	-		-		-		-		-		-	-
Due from Governmental Units					 43,756	-			12,350		9,498					
TOTAL ASSETS	\$	5,411	\$	1,875	\$ 43,827	\$	11,917	\$	19,423	\$	9,823	\$		\$	2,674	\$ 222,687
LIABILITIES:																
Due to Other Funds	\$	-	\$	-	\$ -	\$	-	\$	2,417	\$	6,777	\$	-	\$	-	\$ -
Accounts Payable		-		-	25,527		70		12,140		3,019		-		-	1,838
Accrued Liabilities		-		-	-		-		258		-		-		-	-
Deferred Revenue					 											
TOTAL LIABILITIES					 25,527		70		14,815		9,796					 1,838
FUND BALANCES: Unreserved:																
Designated		-		-	-		-		-		-		-		-	-
Undesignated		5,411		1,875	 18,300		11,847		4,608		27				2,674	 220,849
TOTAL FUND BALANCES		5,411		1,875	 18,300		11,847		4,608		27				2,674	 220,849
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCES	\$	5,411	\$	1,875	\$ 43,827	\$	11,917	\$	19,423	\$	9,823	\$		\$	2,674	\$ 222,687

County of Luce, Michigan

							Sp	ecial R	evenue Fur	nds						
	Law .ibrary	Housing Grant/ Loan		Officer Training		Secondary Road Patrol		Juvenile Justice		E.U.P. Community Corrections		CDBG Housing Rehabilitation		Child Care - Probate		eterans Γrust
ASSETS:	 		_				_									_
Cash & Investments - Unrestricted	\$ 3,671	\$	57,259	\$	1,137	\$	3,924	\$	423	\$	1,626	\$	-	\$	400	\$ 492
Receivables:																
Accounts	-		-		-		-		-		-		-		-	-
Taxes	-		-		-		-		-		-		-		-	-
Due from Other Funds	-		-		-		-		-		-		-		-	-
Due from Governmental Units	 						20,142		7,911		1,576				1,500	
TOTAL ASSETS	\$ 3,671	\$	57,259	\$	1,137	\$	24,066	\$	8,334	\$	3,202	\$		\$	1,900	\$ 492
LIABILITIES:																
Due to Other Funds	\$ -	\$	-	\$	-	\$	22,930	\$	4,818	\$	2,599	\$	-	\$	1,900	\$ -
Accounts Payable	-		-		-		-		21		172		-		-	-
Accrued Liabilities	-		-		-		1,136		529		431		-		-	-
Deferred Revenue	 															
TOTAL LIABILITIES	 						24,066		5,368		3,202				1,900	
FUND BALANCES: Unreserved:																
Designated	-		-		-		-		-		-		-		-	-
Undesignated	 3,671		57,259		1,137		<u> </u>		2,966		-		-		-	 492
TOTAL FUND BALANCES	 3,671		57,259		1,137		<u>-</u>		2,966							492
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCES	\$ 3,671	\$	57,259	\$	1,137	\$	24,066	\$	8,334	\$	3,202	\$		\$	1,900	\$ 492

	Sp	ecial l	Revenue Fu	nds				Debt Service				tal Project Fund		
	Drug Court	Drunk Driving Caseload Assist.		Substance Abuse		County Park Debt Retirement		Ambulance Building Bond Debt Service	Debt Ret Sewage Debt Service		Lig	isp Point ghthouse Project		Totals
ASSETS:	 													
Cash & Investments - Unrestricted	\$ 4,641	\$	17,597	\$	-	\$	-	\$ -	\$	-	\$	23,736	\$	446,072
Receivables:														
Accounts	-		-		-		-	-		-		-		26,634
Taxes	-		-		-		-	-		-		-		215,252
Due from Other Funds	-		-		2,599		-	-		-		-		2,599
Due from Governmental Units	 -													100,326
TOTAL ASSETS	\$ 4,641	\$	17,597	\$	2,599	\$		\$ -	\$		\$	23,736	\$	790,883
LIABILITIES:														
Due to Other Funds	\$ -	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$ -	\$	-	\$	-	\$	41,441
Accounts Payable	-		-		-		-	-		-		-		47,764
Accrued Liabilities	-		-		-		-	-		-		-		5,815
Deferred Revenue	 -													215,252
TOTAL LIABILITIES	 													310,272
FUND BALANCES:														
Unreserved:														
Designated	-		-		-		-	-		-		23,736		23,736
Undesignated	 4,641		17,597		2,599					-		-		456,875
TOTAL FUND BALANCES	 4,641		17,597		2,599							23,736	-	480,611
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCES	\$ 4,641	\$	17,597	\$	2,599	\$		\$ -	\$		\$	23,736	\$	790,883

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	Special Revenue Funds												
	Family Counseling	ORV Enforcement Grant	Snowmobile Enforcement Grant		Luce County Park & Campground	Coop Extension Service	Friend of the Court	Tax Revolving Reserve	Animal Control				
REVENUES:													
Taxes	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 76,475	\$ -	\$ 76,475	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 63,645				
Licenses & Permits	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1,114				
Federal Sources	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-				
State Sources	-	3,058	, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,		-	-	1,085	-	-				
Local Sources	-	-	2,000		-	-	-	-	1,000				
Charges for Services	690	-	-	7,567	38,801	-	1,639	-	9,007				
Interest & Rentals	14	-	-	1,276	481	2,326	1,267	-	1,929				
Fines and Forfeitures	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-				
Other Revenue		2,500		103	438		-		2,784				
TOTAL REVENUES	704	5,558	20,008	85,421	39,720	78,801	3,991		79,479				
EXPENDITURES:													
Judicial	-	-	-	<u> </u>	-	-	2,700	-	-				
General Government	-	-	-	<u> </u>	-	-	-	1,128	-				
Public Safety	-	3,273	19,804	<u> </u>	-	-	-	-	71,635				
Public Works	-	-	-	_	-	-	-	-	-				
Health and Welfare	203	-	-	_	-	-	-	-	-				
Community/Economic Development	-	-	-	_	-	-	-	-	-				
Recreational and Cultural	-	-	-	75,494	21,579	79,631	-	-	-				
Capital Outlay	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3,557				
Debt Service				<u> </u>			-						
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	203	3,273	19,804	75,494	21,579	79,631	2,700	1,128	75,192				
EXCESS (DEFICIENCY) OF REVENUES OVER EXPENDITURES	501	2,285	204	9,927	18,141	(830)	1,291	(1,128)	4,287				
OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES):													
Operating Transfers In	_	-	-	700	_	_	_	2,577	_				
Operating Transfers Out					(9,583)								
EXCESS (DEFICIENCY) OF REVENUES AND OTHER FINANCING SOURCES OVER EXPENDITURES AND OTHER FINANCING USES	501	2,285	204	10,627	8,558	(020)	1 201	1,449	4,287				
FINANCING USES				10,027	6,338	(830)	1,291	1,449	4,287				
FUND BALANCES, JANUARY 1	104	1,450	4,707	4,134	1,466	16,968	26,542	4,065	13,114				
FUND BALANCES, DECEMBER 31	\$ 605	\$ 3,735	\$ 4,911	\$ 14,761	\$ 10,024	\$ 16,138	\$ 27,833	\$ 5,514	\$ 17,401				

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	Special Revenue Funds												
	Luce County Master F	y	Michigan Coastal Mgmt Grant	Remonu- mentation	Regis of De Autom	eeds	Emergency Management	Youth Alcohol Enforcement	Fingerprint System	Corrections Officers Training	911		
REVENUES:													
Taxes	\$	-	\$ -	\$ -	\$	-	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -		
Licenses & Permits		-	-	-		-	-	-	-	-	-		
Federal Sources		-	10,370	-		-	52,244	-	-	-	-		
State Sources		-	-	72,927		-	-	9,498	15,000	-	91,310		
Local Sources		-	-	-		-	-	-	-	-	-		
Charges for Services		-	-	-	1	0,130	-	-	-	1,930	72,079		
Interest & Rentals		397	-	-		819	236	-	-	-	8,405		
Fines and Forfeitures		-	-	-		-	-	-	-	-	-		
Other Revenue			23,601								325		
TOTAL REVENUES		397	33,971	72,927	1	0,949	52,480	9,498	15,000	1,930	172,119		
EXPENDITURES:													
Judicial		_	-	_		_	-	_	-	-	-		
General Government		_	_	_	1	0,629	-	_	-	-	-		
Public Safety		-	-	-		-	57,569	9,471	15,000	771	72,870		
Public Works		-	-	58,527		-	-	-	-	-	-		
Health and Welfare		-	-	-		-	-	-	-	-	-		
Community/Economic Development		-	-	-		-	-	-	-	-	-		
Recreational and Cultural		-	32,096	-		-	-	-	-	-	-		
Capital Outlay		-	-	-		-	-	-	-	-	-		
Debt Service													
TOTAL EXPENDITURES			32,096	58,527	1	0,629	57,569	9,471	15,000	771	72,870		
EXCESS (DEFICIENCY) OF REVENUES OVER EXPENDITURES		397	1,875	14,400		320	(5,089)	27	-	1,159	99,249		
OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES):													
Operating Transfers In		-	-	-		_	7,673	-	-	-	-		
Operating Transfers Out		-									(19,000)		
EXCESS (DEFICIENCY) OF REVENUES AND OTHER FINANCING SOURCES OVER EXPENDITURES AND OTHER			4.0==					-					
FINANCING USES		397	1,875	14,400		320	2,584	27	-	1,159	80,249		
FUND BALANCES, JANUARY 1	5	,014		3,900	1	1,527	2,024			1,515	140,600		
FUND BALANCES, DECEMBER 31	\$ 5.	,411	\$ 1,875	\$ 18,300	\$ 1	1,847	\$ 4,608	\$ 27	\$ -	\$ 2,674	\$ 220,849		

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	Special Revenue Funds											
	Law Library		Housing Grant/ Loan	Officer Training		Secondary Road Patrol	Juvenile Justice	E.U.P. Community Corrections	CDBG Housing Rehabilitation	Child Care - Probate	Veterans Trust	
REVENUES:												
Taxes	\$	- \$	-	\$ -	- \$	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	
Licenses & Permits		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Federal Sources		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	67,912	-	-	
State Sources		-	-	713	3	36,293	16,945	11,776	-	-	2,004	
Local Sources		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Charges for Services		-	9,596	-	-	-	-	-	-	2,756	-	
Interest & Rentals		-	2,742	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Fines and Forfeitures	2,0	000	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Other Revenue												
TOTAL REVENUES	2,0	000	12,338	713	<u> </u>	36,293	16,945	11,776	67,912	2,756	2,004	
EXPENDITURES:												
Judicial	1	80	-	-	-	-	16,814	-	-	-	-	
General Government		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Public Safety		-	-	541		36,291	-	12,258	-	-	-	
Public Works		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Health and Welfare		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	114,499	1,794	
Community/Economic Development		-	14	-	-	-	-	-	67,912	-	-	
Recreational and Cultural		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Capital Outlay		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Debt Service						-						
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	1	80	14	541	<u> </u>	36,291	16,814	12,258	67,912	114,499	1,794	
EXCESS (DEFICIENCY) OF REVENUES OVER EXPENDITURES	1,8	320	12,324	172	2	2	131	(482)	-	(111,743)	210	
OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES):												
Operating Transfers In		-	-	-	-	1,765	1,337	-	_	116,629	-	
Operating Transfers Out												
EXCESS (DEFICIENCY) OF REVENUES AND OTHER FINANCING SOURCES OVER EXPENDITURES AND OTHER FINANCING USES	1,8	220	12,324	172)	1,767	1,468	(482)	_	4,886	210	
									-			
FUND BALANCES, JANUARY 1	1,8		44,935	965		(1,767)	1,498	482		(4,886)	282	
FUND BALANCES, DECEMBER 31	\$ 3,6	571	57,259	\$ 1,137	7 \$	\$ -	\$ 2,966	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 492	

Combining Statement of Revenues, Expenditures, and Changes in Fund Balance Nonmajor Governmental Funds For the Year Ended December 31, 2006

	Special Revenue Funds					1	Capital Project Fund					
	Drug Court	C	Drunk Driving Caseload Assist.		stance	County Park Debt Retirement	Ambulance Building Bond Debt Service	Debt Ret Sewage Debt Service	Crisp Point Lighthouse Project		То	otals
REVENUES:												
Taxes	\$	- \$	-	\$	-	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$	-	\$ 2	216,595
Licenses & Permits	•	-	-		-	-	-	-		-		1,114
Federal Sources State Sources			2.020		-	-	-	-		-		130,526
Local Sources	•	-	2,929		-	-	-	46,400		5,255 3,983		286,801 53,383
Charges for Services	1,115	-	-		-	-	-	40,400		3,963		35,363
Interest & Rentals	1,113		1,068		-	-	-	-		949		21,909
Fines and Forfeitures			1,000			_	_			242		2,000
Other Revenue			-		_	_	-	_		-		29,751
				-								
TOTAL REVENUES	1,115	<u> </u>	3,997					46,400		10,187	- 8	897,389
EXPENDITURES:												
Judicial	3,120)	-		-	-	-	-		-		22,814
General Government		-	-		-	-	-	-		-		11,757
Public Safety	-	-	-		-	-	-	-		-	2	299,483
Public Works	-	-	-		-	-	-	-		-		58,527
Health and Welfare		-	-		-	-	-	-		-	1	116,496
Community/Economic Development		-	-		-	-	-	-		-		67,926
Recreational and Cultural		-	-		-	-	-	-		-	2	208,800
Capital Outlay		-	-		-	-	-	-		25,701		29,258
Debt Service					-	9,583	64,901	46,400			1	120,884
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	3,120	<u> </u>				9,583	64,901	46,400		25,701	9	935,945
EXCESS (DEFICIENCY) OF REVENUES OVER EXPENDITURES	(2,005	5)	3,997		-	(9,583)	(64,901)	-		(15,514)	((38,556)
OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES):												
Operating Transfers In	6,646	5	_		_	9,583	64,901	-		_	2	211,811
Operating Transfers Out			(6,646)								((35,229)
EXCESS (DEFICIENCY) OF REVENUES AND OTHER FINANCING SOURCES OVER EXPENDITURES AND OTHER FINANCING USES	4,641		(2,649)		-	-	-	-		(15,514)	1	138,026
FUND BALANCES, JANUARY 1		-	20,246		2,599	-	-	-		39,250	3	342,585
FUND BALANCES, DECEMBER 31	\$ 4,641	s	17,597	\$	2,599	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$	23,736	\$ 4	480,611
TOTAL BILLINGES, DECEMBER 31	Ψ +,0+1	Ψ	11,571	Ψ	2,377	Ψ -	Ψ	Ψ	Ψ	23,130	Ψ 4	00,011

Combining Statement of Net Assets Nonmajor Enterprise Funds December 31, 2006

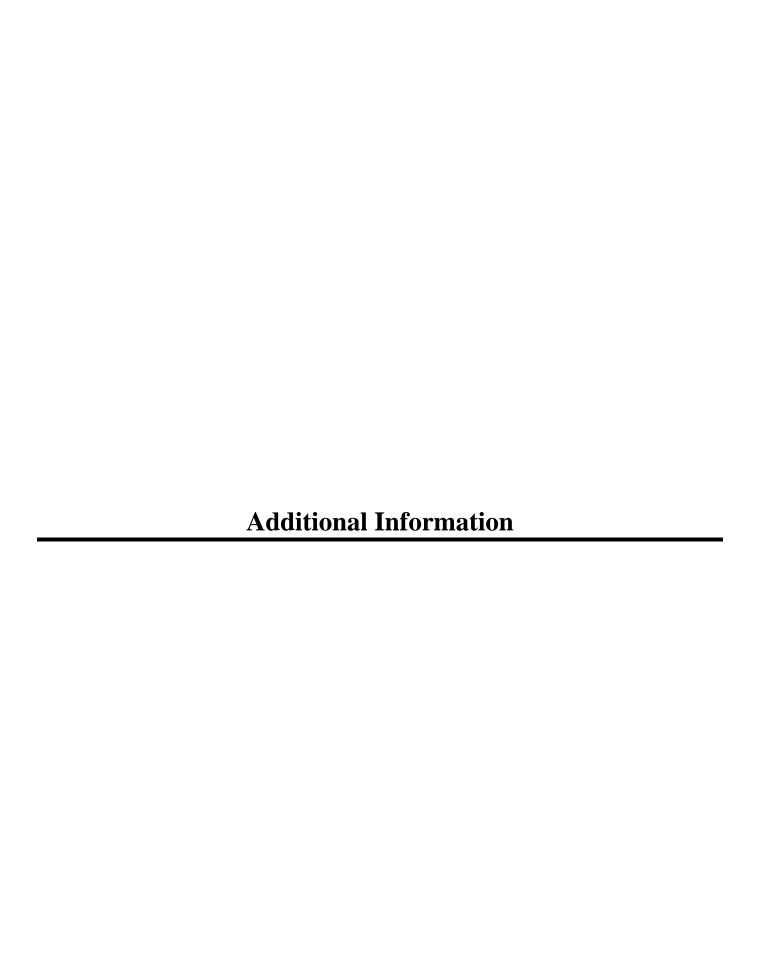
	2001 Revo		002 Tax evolving	003 Tax evolving	004 Tax evolving	uilding partment	At	ostract		Fair Joard	Totals
ASSETS:				 		 			· ·		<u> </u>
Cash & Investments - Unrestricted Taxes Receivable	\$	-	\$ 51,888 761	\$ 63,880 1,501	\$ 21,124 27,857	\$ 5,705	\$	68	\$	876 -	\$ 143,541 30,119
Accrued Interest			 285	 563	 9,193	 					 10,041
TOTAL ASSETS	\$		\$ 52,934	\$ 65,944	\$ 58,174	\$ 5,705	\$	68	\$	876	\$ 183,701
LIABILITIES:											
Due to Other Funds	\$	-	\$ 1,204	\$ 1,218	\$ 1,286	\$ 2,781	\$	37	\$	-	\$ 6,526
Accounts Payable Accrued Liabilities		<u>-</u>	 <u>-</u>	 - -	 <u>-</u>	133 337		31	-	<u>-</u>	 164 337
TOTAL LIABILITIES			 1,204	 1,218	 1,286	 3,251		68			 7,027
NET ASSETS:											
Unrestricted			 51,730	 64,726	56,888	2,454				876	 176,674
TOTAL NET ASSETS			 51,730	 64,726	 56,888	 2,454				876	 176,674
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS	\$		\$ 52,934	\$ 65,944	\$ 58,174	\$ 5,705	\$	68	\$	876	\$ 183,701

Combining Statement of Revenues, Expenses, and Changes in Net Assets - Nonmajor Enterprise Funds For the Year Ended December 31, 2006

	2001 T Revolv		02 Tax volving	03 Tax volving	004 Tax evolving	uilding partment	A	bstract	Fair Board	 Totals
OPERATING REVENUES:										
Charges for Services	\$	105	\$ 97	\$ 1,254	\$ 9,997	\$ 37,453	\$	3,118	\$ 187	\$ 52,211
State Sources		-	-	-	-	-		-	8,554	8,554
Interest & Rentals		1,257	-	-	14,305	-		-	-	15,562
Other Revenue			 	 	 	 			 5,497	 5,497
TOTAL OPERATING REVENUES		1,362	 97	 1,254	 24,302	 37,453		3,118	 14,238	 81,824
OPERATING EXPENSES:										
Personal Services		-	-	-	-	35,270		3,801	-	39,071
Utilities		-	-	-	-	858		-	199	1,057
Repair & Maintenance		-	-	-	-	-		-	9,274	9,274
Other Supplies & Expenses			 410	 108	 970	 1,918			 8,632	 12,038
Total Operating Expenses			 410	 108	 970	38,046		3,801	18,105	 61,440
OPERATING INCOME (LOSS)		1,362	 (313)	 1,146	 23,332	(593)		(683)	(3,867)	 20,384
NON-OPERATING REVENUES (EXPENSES):										
Interest on Deposits		986	1,135	1,356	555	119		_	_	4,151
Interest Expense		_	· -	-	(2,465)	-		_	_	(2,465)
Total Non-operating Revenues (Expenses)		986	1,135	1,356	(1,910)	119			_	1,686
			,	 ,	 () /				_	,
INCOME (LOSS) BEFORE TRANSFERS		2,348	822	2,502	21,422	(474)		(683)	(3,867)	22,070
Operating Transfers In		_	_	_	_	-		681	_	681
Operating Transfers Out	(5)	7,665)	 	 	 	 		_	 	 (57,665)
CHANGES IN NET ASSETS	(5:	5,317)	822	2,502	21,422	(474)		(2)	(3,867)	(34,914)
NET ASSETS, JANUARY 1	5:	5,317	50,908	62,224	35,466	2,928		2	 4,743	 211,588
NET ASSETS, DECEMBER 31	\$	-	\$ 51,730	\$ 64,726	\$ 56,888	\$ 2,454	\$	-	\$ 876	\$ 176,674

Combining Statement of Cash Flows Nonmajor Enterprise Funds For the Year Ended December 31, 2006

	001 Tax evolving)2 Tax volving	003 Tax evolving	004 Tax evolving	lding rtment	Abs	tract	 Fair Board	 Totals
CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES: Receipts from Customers Payments to Suppliers Payments to Employees Internal Activity - Payments/Receipts with Other Funds	\$ 5,190 - - (1,237)	\$ 1,243 (410)	\$ 26,229 (108)	\$ 171,598 (970) - 971	\$ 37,453 (161) (35,270)	\$	3,118 - (3,770) 37	\$ 14,238 (18,105)	\$ 259,069 (19,754) (39,040) (229)
Net Cash Provided (Used) by Operating Activities	 3,953	833	 26,121	171,599	 2,022		(615)	 (3,867)	 200,046
CASH FLOWS FROM CAPITAL AND RELATED FINANCING ACTIVITIES: Principal Payments Interest Expense	 - -	- -	 - -	(180,166) (2,465)	<u>-</u>		<u>-</u>	- -	(180,166) (2,465)
Net Cash Provided (Used) by Capital and Related Financing Activities	 	 		 (182,631)	 			 	 (182,631)
CASH FLOWS FROM NONCAPITAL AND RELATED FINANCING ACTIVITIES: Operating Transfers In Operating Transfers Out	 - (57,665)	 - -	 - -	 - -	 <u>-</u>		681	- -	681 (57,665)
Net Cash Provided (Used) by Noncapital and Related Financing Activities	 (57,665)	 _		 			681		(56,984)
CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES: Interest Income	 986	1,135	1,356	555	119				4,151
Net Cash Provided (Used) by Investing Activities	 986	 1,135	 1,356	 555	 119			 	 4,151
Net Increase (Decrease) in Cash and Cash Equivalents	(52,726)	1,968	27,477	(10,477)	2,141		66	(3,867)	(35,418)
Balances - Beginning of the Year	 52,726	 49,920	 36,403	 31,601	 3,564		2	 4,743	 178,959
Balances - End of the Year	\$ 	\$ 51,888	\$ 63,880	\$ 21,124	\$ 5,705	\$	68	\$ 876	\$ 143,541
Reconciliation of Operating Income (Loss) to Net Cash Provided (Used) by Operating Activities: Operating Income (Loss) Adjustments to Reconcile Operating Income (Loss) to Net Cash Provided (Used) by Operating Activities: Change in Assets and Liabilities: Taxes Receivable	\$ 1,362 2,265	\$ (313)	\$ 1,146 18,602	\$ 23,332	\$ (593)	\$	(683)	\$ (3,867)	\$ 20,384
Accrued Interest Receivable	1,563	610	6,373	7,566	-		-	-	16,112
Accounts Payable Due to Other Funds	(1,237)	-	-	- 971	96 2,781		31 37	-	127 2,552
Accrued Liabilities	 -	 	 	 	 (262)			 	 (262)
Net Cash Provided (Used) by Operating Activities	\$ 3,953	\$ 833	\$ 26,121	\$ 171,599	\$ 2,022	\$	(615)	\$ (3,867)	\$ 200,046



COUNTY OF LUCE, MICHIGAN

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INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT ON ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Members of the Board County of Luce, Michigan Newberry, Michigan 49868

Our report on our audit of the basic financial statements of the County of Luce, Michigan, as of and for the year ended December 31, 2006, appears on page 1. That audit was conducted for the purpose of forming opinions on the basic financial statements. The additional information listed on the following pages regarding the Municipal securities disclosure requirements of the Securities Exchange Commission (SEC) Rule 15c2-12 is presented for purposes of additional analysis and is not a required part of the basic financial statements, and accordingly, we express no opinion on it.

Anderson, Tackman & Company, PLC Certified Public Accountants

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May 17, 2007

NOTE 1 - DEBT ISSUES APPLICABLE TO SEC RULE 15c2-12 DISCLOSURE REQUIREMENTS:

Debt issues of \$1,000,000 or more sold on or after July 3, 1995 are applicable to SEC rule 15c2-12 disclosure requirements. As of December 31, 2006, the County has the following debt issues which apply to SEC Rule 15c2-12:

\$1,400,000 County of Luce 1996 General Obligation Unlimited Tax Bonds.

NOTE 2 - TABLES:

The following tables are included in the debt issues and are required to be updated annually to comply with the Municipal Securities disclosure requirements of the SEC Rule 15c2-12:

A. State Equalized Valuation:

Assessed Value as of December 31	Year of State Equalization and Tax Levy	County's Fiscal Year Ended or Ending	Ad Valorem Taxable Value	Total Taxable Value	Percent Increase Taxable Value	Total SEV	Percent Increase Over Prior Year
1998	1999	2000	104,303,202	104,303,202	5.7	146,014,375	13.3
1999	2000	2001	111,412,105	111,412,105	6.8	163,307,526	11.8
2000	2001	2002	121,116,858	121,116,858	8.7	180,884,361	10.8
2001	2002	2003	128,876,179	128,876,179	6.5	197,567,606	9.2
2002	2003	2004	135,830,650	135,830,650	5.4	216,451,147	9.6
2003	2004	2005	145,403,181	145,403,181	7.0	241,975,566	11.8
2004	2005	2006	153,782,031	154,782,031	6.5	257,757,066	6.5
2005	2006	2007	163,374,240	163,374,240	5.6	251,799,025	(2.3)

Per Capita Total SEV for the Fiscal Year Ending December 31, 2006 (1). \$34,450.

Source: County of Luce

B. Tax Rates - Five Year History (1):

	Year of Levy (December 1)											
	2006	2005	2004	2003	2002							
County Operating:												
July 1 Levy	3.5734	1.8313	-	-	-							
December 1 Levy	1.8409	3.6627	5.5965	5.6859	5.7713							
Ambulance	.9674	.9817	.9484	.9636	.9781							
Parks & Recreation	.4689	.4759	.4848	.4926	.5000							
Extension	.4689	.4759	.4848	.4926	.5000							
Hospital Bond Debt Service	-	2.0000	2.0000	2.0000	2.00000							
Animal Control	.3903	.3961	.4035	.4100	.4010							
Airport	.4689	.4759	.4848	.4926	.5000							
Terri	0.1707	10 2005	10 4020	10.5272	10.6504							
Total	8.1787	10.2995	10.4028	10.5373	10.6504							

⁽¹⁾ Per \$1,000 of SEV. Excludes taxes levied by underlying taxing units.

Source: County of Luce

⁽¹⁾ Based on the County's population estimate of 7,024.

NOTE 2 -**TABLES:** (Continued)

C. County Tax Collections Record-Five Year History:

Levied December 1	County Tax Levy December 1 (1)	Collecti Marc Year Follov	ch 1	Collections to to August 1 (2)			
2000	571,226	502,959	88.05	571,226	100		
2001	702,851	624,783	88.89	702,851	100		
2002	744,153	662,331	89.00	744,153	100		
2003	722,591	673,448	93.19	722,591	100		
2004	814,563	727,270	89.28	814,563	100		
2005	834,465	756,354	90.64	834,465	100		

- The County's fiscal year begins January 1. Taxes are due the previous July 1 and December 1 and are (1) returned as delinquent the following March 1. Taxes on real property remaining delinquent after 26 months from the date of delinquency are sold at a tax sale.
- Includes payments from the Fund; unpaid personal property taxes which are less than 1% of the total levy are immaterial.

Source: Luce County

D. Major Ad Valorem Taxpayers:

		2006 Taxable	% of 2006 Taxable
<u>Taxpayer</u>	Principal Product or Services	 Value	Value
Louisiana Pacific	Wood Products	\$ 6,786,338	4.15%
Michigan – DNR	State Government	2,724,900	1.67
Goldthorpe Enterprises	Motels and Land	1,935,529	1.18
Cloverland Electric Co-op	Utility	1,852,690	1.13
Zellar's Inc.	Restaurant, Motel, & Trucking	1,201,315	.74
I.D. Dillon, Inc. (Days Inn)	Hotel	916,200	.56
Joseph Rahilly (Rahilly IGA)	Grocery	719,069	.44
Pike's	Distributing Company	650,784	.40
Barret, Co.	Restaurant, Gift Shop, Mechanical Repair	638,190	.39
Pickelman's	Restaurant, Bar and Gas Stations	 637,117	.39
		\$ 18,062,132	11.05

Source: Luce County

NOTE 2 - TABLES: (Continued)

E. Constitutional Debt Limitations:

Article VII, Section 6 of the State Constitution states "No county shall incur any indebtedness which shall increase its total debt beyond 10% of its assessed valuation." The Bonds are included within this debt limitation.

Statement of Legal Debt Margin (as o	of December 31, 2006)
2006 State Equalized Valuation	\$ 251,799,025
Legal Debt Limit (10% of SEV)	25,179,903
Debt Outstanding	999,669
Margin of Additional Debt Which Could	
Legally be Incurred Subject to Debt Limit	<u>\$ 24,180,234</u>
Percentage of Debt Outstanding to 2006 SEV	.40%

Source: Municipal Advisory Council of Michigan and First of Michigan Corporation

F. Debt Statement: (as of December 31, 2006, including the notes)

			Of Po Di	Supporting ortion Paid rectly by enefitted			Net l	Debt % of
Direct Debt of County		Gross	Mur	icipalities		Net	Capita	SEV
GO Tax Notes	\$	246,669	\$	246,669	\$	-	\$ -	\$ -%
Sewer		313,000		313,000		-	-	-
Go Ambulance Notes		195,000		195,000		-	-	
Go Housing Notes		145,000		145,000		-	-	
Building Authority		100,000				100,000	14.24	.040
Total Direct debt * No County credit pledged. County Overlapping Debt (1)	<u>\$</u>	999,669	\$	899,669		100,000	14.24	040%
Village						1,771,853	252.26	.704
Schools						854,028	121.59	.339
Townships						131,147	18.67	.052
Total Net Overlapping Debt					_	2,757,028	392.52	1.095
Total Direct and Net Overlapping	Debt				<u>\$</u>	2,857,028	<u>\$ 406.76</u>	<u>1.135</u> %

⁽¹⁾ Overlapping Debt is the portion of other public debt for which a County taxpayer is liable in addition to the Direct Debt of the County.

Source: Municipal Advisory Council of Michigan and First of Michigan Corporation

Additional Information - Unaudited December 31, 2006

NOTE 2 - TABLES: (Continued)

G. Debt Service Schedule:

Refer to Note 7, Long-Term Debt in the Notes to Financial Statements.

H. Labor Contracts:

Of the County's employees, 25% are represented by labor organizations. The following table illustrates the various labor organizations which represent County employees, the number of members and part-time employees, and the expiration dates of the present contracts.

Organization	Number of Employees as of December 31, 2006	Contract Expiration Date
AFSCME Local #2430 (Sheriff's Department)	4	12/31/06
AFSCME Local #2430 (District Court)	2	12/31/06 *
AFSCME Local #2430 (General Employees)	10	12/31/06
Non-Union	47	N/A
Total	63	

Source: County of Luce

I. Future Financing:

The County Treasurer anticipates the General Limited Obligation Tax Notes will be issued in the next six months to finance the purchase of delinquent taxes in the amount of \$375,000. The County Treasurer reports that there are no other bond or note financing planned to be issued by the County within the next six months.

J. Vacation and Sick Leave:

Refer to Note 7, Long-Term Debt in the Notes to Financial Statements.

K. Pension Plan:

Refer to Note 10, Employee Retirement and Benefit Systems in the Notes to Financial Statements.

L. Installment Purchase and Lease Obligations:

Refer to Note 6, Leases in the Notes to Financial Statements.

^{*}Contract has an economic re-opener clause for 01/01/05 and 01/01/06.



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REPORT TO MANAGEMENT

Members of the Board County of Luce, Michigan Newberry, MI 49868

We have audited the basic financial statements of the County of Luce, Michigan for the year ended December 31, 2006, and have issued our reports thereon dated May 17, 2007. Professional standards require that we provide you with the following information related to our audit.

Our Responsibility under U.S. Generally Accepted Auditing Standards and OMB Circular A-133

As stated in our engagement letter, our responsibility, as described by professional standards, is to plan and perform our audit to obtain reasonable, but not absolute, assurance that the financial statements are free of material misstatement and are fairly presented in accordance with U.S. generally accepted accounting principles. Because of the concept of reasonable assurance and because we did not perform a detailed examination of all transactions, there is a risk that material misstatements may exist and not be detected by us.

In planning and performing our audit, we considered the County of Luce's internal control over financial reporting in order to determine our auditing procedures for the purpose of expressing our opinion on the financial statements and not to provide assurance on the internal control over financial reporting. We also considered internal control over compliance with requirements that could have a direct and material effect on a major federal program in order to determine our auditing procedures for the purpose of expressing our opinion on compliance and to test and report on internal control over compliance in accordance with OMB Circular A-133.

As part of obtaining reasonable assurance about whether the County of Luce's financial statements are free of material misstatement, we performed tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts and grants, noncompliance with which could have a direct and material effect on the determination of financial statement amounts. However, providing an opinion on compliance with those provisions was not an objective of our audit. Also, in accordance with OMB Circular A-133, we examined, on a test basis, evidence about the County of Luce's compliance with the types of compliance requirements described in the *U.S. Office of Management and Budget (OMB) Circular A-133 Compliance Supplement* applicable to each of its major federal programs for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the County of Luce's compliance with those requirements. While our audit provides a reasonable basis for our opinion, it does not provide a legal determination on County of Luce's compliance with those requirements.

Significant Accounting Policies

Management has the responsibility for selection and use of appropriate accounting policies. In accordance with the terms of our engagement letter, we will advise management about the appropriateness of accounting policies and their application. The significant accounting policies used by the County of Luce are described in Note 1 to the financial statements. We noted no transactions entered into by the County of Luce during the year that were both significant and unusual, and of which, under professional standards, we are required to inform you, or transactions for which there is a lack of authoritative guidance or consensus.

Accounting Estimates

Accounting estimates are an integral part of the financial statements prepared by management and are based on management's knowledge and experience about past and current events and assumptions about future events. Certain accounting estimates are particularly sensitive because of their significance to the financial statements and because of the possibility that future events affecting them may differ significantly from those expected.

Significant Audit Adjustments

For purposes of this letter, professional standards define a significant audit adjustment as a proposed correction of the financial statements that, in our judgment, may not have been detected except through our auditing procedures. These adjustments may include those proposed by us but not recorded by Luce County that could potentially cause future financial statements to be materially misstated, even though we have concluded that such adjustments are not material to the current financial statements.

Disagreements with Management

For purposes of this letter, professional standards define a disagreement with management as a matter, whether or not resolved to our satisfaction, concerning a financial accounting, reporting, or auditing matter that could be significant to the financial statements or the auditors' report. We are pleased to report that no such disagreements arose during the course of our audit.

Consultations with Other Independent Accountants

In some cases, management may decide to consult with other accountants about auditing and accounting matters, similar to obtaining a "second opinion" on certain situations. If a consultation involves application of an accounting principle to the County of Luce's financial statements our professional standards require the consulting accountant to check with us to determine that the consultant has all the relevant facts. To our knowledge, there were no such consultations with other accountants.

<u>Issues Discussed Prior to Retention of Independent Auditors</u>

We generally discuss a variety of matters, including the application of accounting principles and auditing standards, with management each year prior to retention as the County of Luce's auditors. However, these discussions occurred in the normal course of our professional relationship and our responses were not a condition to our retention.

Difficulties Encountered in Performing the Audit

We encountered no significant difficulties in dealing with management in performing our audit.

Comments and Recommendations

The following is a summary of our observations with suggestions for improvements we believe should be brought to your attention. We also noted other material matters involving compliance and internal control over financial reporting, which we have reported in a separate letter in accordance with *Government Auditing Standards*.

Airport (prior year)

The airport does not maintain a receipting system. To improve documentation of monies received at the airport, it is recommended a duplicate receipting system be maintained by the airport – giving a copy of each receipt to the customer.

Status: See current year comment.

Accounts Receivable – (Prior Year)

It was noted during our testing of accounts receivable that fund 292 has a receivable of \$1,500, which has not been adjusted for several years. It is recommended the County determine if the amount is collectible and if not to adjust the account to zero.

Nonprofit Expenditures – (Prior Year)

The State of Michigan prohibits contributions to nonprofit organizations where there is no contract for specific services. The Department of Treasury has reviewed specific transactions at some local units of government related to 2% funds received from Tribal governments for distributions to nonprofit organizations. The Trust and Agency fund of the County indicates amounts were distributed to nonprofit organizations. The Board should implement procedures to prevent potential unlawful expenditures in this regard.

Ambulance Receivables

The County was unable to provide an aging report for ambulance receivables, which is necessary to determine the proper uncollectible allowance. This is, in part, due to the fact that the Ambulance accounting duties were not performed on either a regular or consistent basis throughout the year.

Payroll

During the test of Controls on Payroll, it was determined that eight personnel files did not contain current pay-rate information. It is recommended that current pay-rate information be maintained with pay-roll records in each personnel file.

Disbursements

During the test of controls on disbursements, it was noted that a check was requested by, approved by, and issued to, the same individual. When a single individual is authorized to do this, distributions become highly vulnerable to missapropriation and/or abuse. It is recommended that all vouchers and other requests for monies be examined to insure that approval is granted by an individual who is outside the authority of the requesting party.

Personal Property Taxes

Currently, the County is not recording the amount of outstanding delinquent personal property taxes that are due to the County in the general ledger. It is recommended the County record the amount of outstanding delinquent personal property taxes in the general ledger of each fund that has a tax levy. The County should maintain subsidiary ledgers which show the amount of delinquent personal property taxes owed by each taxing unit by individual tax year.

Fraud Policy

With the implementation of statement of Auditing Standards No. 99, auditors are required to assess policies and procedures regarding fraud risks within a governmental entity. The board does not have a "fraud policy" which would address fraud or suspected fraud and related board actions. We recommend the Board adopt a fraud policy in compliance with SAS No. 99.

GASB Statement 45 – Accounting and Financial Reporting by Employers for Post-Employment Benefits Other Than Pensions

In June 2004, the GASB issued Statement 45, which establishes standards for the measurement, recognition, and display of other post-employment benefits (OPEB) expense/expenditures and related liabilities (assets), note disclosures, and, if applicable, required supplementary information in the financial reports of state and local governmental employers. OPEB includes post-employment healthcare as well as other post-employment benefits such as life insurance.

The Statement is implemented in three phases, with the County of Luce required to implement the Statement for the year ended December 31, 2009, GASB Statement 45 will impact the future accounting of post-employment health insurance costs as it relates to the amount the County will be required to pay for these benefits. Beginning in 2009, the County will be required by governmental generally accepted accounting principles to pay the current cost of providing those benefits as well as an amount needed to fund a portion of the unfunded liability relating to post-employment health benefit. The unfunded liability will be required to be actuarially determined and will be amortized over a period likely not to exceed thirty years. The methods used as part of Statement 45 are similar to those currently used to determine required contribution rates for defined benefit pension plans.

The County Board of Commissioners as well as County Management should begin to consider the impact of GASB Statement 45 prior to the required implementation date.

Conclusion

This information is intended solely for the information and use of the Board of Commissioners, management, federal and state awarding agencies, pass-through entities and others within the organization and is not intended to be and should not be used by anyone other than these specified parties.

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